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Carl Greger, Smyrna; Mary Anax Drumman, Smyrna.

It will wash and not rub off. This complexion all envy me. It's no secret so I'll tell. Take thou Rocky Mountain Tea. D. G. LOOK.

Phone the LEDGER when you have guests at your home. If you are going away also let us know about it. Any item of news will be of interest to your friends. Call the LEDGER. Phone No. 200.

Ball Games At Alto.

There will be two ball games at Alto Saturday, Aug. 19th, viz. Alto Business Men vs. West Lowell and South Lowell vs. Bowne Center, also farmers' horse race. Admission free, all come and see the fun and laugh.

Supper will be served by the B. Y. P. U., commencing at 5 o'clock, adults 15 cents, children under twelve 10 cents. Proceeds for improving the church.

Village Taxes Due.

Village taxes are now due and payable at my store. July 1st. U. B. WILLIAMS, Treas.

REV. CLARK HEARD FROM

Was in San Francisco But Expected to Change His Location.

From the Freeport Herald.

Rev. W. D. Clark whose wranglings have been the chief topic of conversation in this and surrounding towns for several days past, has been heard from, and at that time was in San Francisco, California. He claimed he was not conscious of what he had done until a day or two before he wrote. He said he would leave San Francisco the day he wrote and he could not tell his location, but if anyone wished to say anything to him to send it to the San Francisco Examiner for publication and he would then read it and answer. The officers in San Francisco have been notified and it is expected that he will eventually be brought to justice. At the time his communication was written he was under the doctor's care, and said he would have to go to the hospital for treatment.

OBITUARY.

Kathern Wieland was born in Wertensberg, Germany, Mar. 31, 1842, and departed this life at her home at Alto Aug. 10, 1905.

When at the age of nine years she came to Clinton, Mich., with her parents, after which they removed to Woodland when at the age of 22 she was united in marriage with Gottlieb Wieland of Bowne. To this union five children were born, two of whom preceded to the better land in early childhood. Chris, Fred and Sara who still survive. Besides a husband she leaves two sisters, a brother and a host of friends to mourn her departure.

When young in years she became a member of the German Lutheran Zion church and remained a true follower in her own quiet every day life, always ready to give good advice and to lend a helping hand. She realized her days were numbered and felt ready to answer her Masters call. The age of deceased was 63 yrs. 4 mo. and 10 days.

Those from Woodland who attended Mrs. Wieland's funeral were: Mrs. Adam Baitinger, Miss Augusta Funk, Mr. and Mrs. John Reisser, Geo. Nethammer and wife, Mrs. Dersten of Saginaw and Miss Ella Lehman of Grand Rapids.—[Com.]

Worden Kingston.

The marriage of Miss Adah Kingston to Mr. Willis Worden was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Job Kingston, of Ionia.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. B. Taylor in the presence of relatives and friends. The Lohengrin bridal chorus was played by Mrs. E. A. Rush of Grand Rapids during the ceremony and the Mendelssohn march was played at the close. The bride wore a pretty gown of blue grey chiffon felle trimmed with white lace, and carried brides roses. After the ceremony light refreshments were served. The house and grounds were prettily decorated for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Worden left for an extended trip to the lakes and will spend a few weeks in Chicago.

They will be at home to their many friends in Ionia after Sept. 10th. [Com.]

Cut Up Harness.

Deputy Sheriff John Taylor returned Tuesday from Grattan, where they had been sent to arrest John Payne on the charge of malicious destruction of property. Payne, it seems, is of a queer disposition and became angered at what he supposed to be the attempt of John Cram to secure his job. As a matter of spite, therefore, it is alleged he stole a harness belonging to his alleged rival and cut it into small strips. Payne is a brother to Alonzo Payne, the Belmont farmer, who a few weeks ago reported to the sheriff that an attempt had been made upon his life by unknown enemies.—[Grand Rapids Post, Aug. 10.]

Churches and Societies

BAPTIST.

Regular preaching service next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., sermon by the pastor. Bible school at 12 o'clock, J. B. Nicholson, Supt. Union services in the evening at the M. E. church.

Regular prayer meeting services will be held in the church parlors, Thursday evening at 7:30.

METHODIST.

Subject for morning service, "The Contrast." Union evening service at the Methodist church, sermon by Rev. J. E. Butler.

Union young people's meeting at the Methodist church at 6:30 p. m. This will be the last of the union evening services. We would like to see the church filled.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Morning subject: "The Christian a good hater."—Luke 14, 26. Sunday school at twelve.

Union evening service at the Methodist church, sermon by Rev. Butler, subject: "Progress in religious thought."

David Flanagan is painting his residence.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Smith is raising hob with his prices on shoes.

Mrs. Vern Ward spent Sunday at Freeport.

Money talks at Godfrey's slaughter sale of suits.

Lots of fruit coming in to the Lowell markets now.

Arthur White is recovering from a week's severe illness.

Miss Mary McIlunis is visiting friends at Hillsdale.

Mrs. Lyle Hodges and Mrs. Hicks are visiting at Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kopf spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Geo. Hauer returned Monday from a week's visit at Woodland.

Miss Ariel Lawrence visited in Grand Rapids last week.

All persons indebted to John Giles & Co. are requested to call and settle.

A. H. Peckham of Grand Rapids was in town yesterday, looking well.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hull visited friends at Saranac one day last week.

Mrs. Milan Wilson, of Lincoln, Neb., is visiting relatives here and at Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Stone of St. Johns were in town the first of the week.

Godfrey's slaughter sale of men's and boys' suits has begun. Money will buy them cheap.

Mrs. Margaret Lewis is visiting relatives and friends at Hamilton and Grimsby, Ont.

Miss Bessie Tate and Marguerite Southard are visiting friends in Milwaukee and Chicago.

Miss Cora Howe is spending several weeks with friends at Portland, Eagle and Detroit.

Lowell Planing Mill will do your job work planing, matching, re sawing etc. Phone 39.

John Arheart returned Sunday from Martin, where he has been spending his week's vacation.

Many sidewalks about town are bedged in with sand-burs. The foul pests should be destroyed at once.

Mrs. A. F. Hinchey spent several days of last week with her brother, A. L. Fleming, in South Boston.

Mrs. G. W. Bangs and two children have returned from a two weeks' visit at Amberg, Ont., and Detroit.

Miss Bessie Tate returned Saturday evening from a two weeks' outing at Bay View and other northern points.

Slaughter the prices on \$9,000 worth of men's and boys' suits. I will do a big business, if I don't make a dollar. W. S. GODFREY.

Mrs. E. A. Rush returned Friday from Ionia, where she attended the Kingston-Worden wedding and visited friends and relatives.

Everybody that has attended Smith's shoe sale says they don't see how he can afford to sell them so cheap. (Bought at 40c.)

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and daughter Agnace of Ionia, and Mr. Scarlet of Indianapolis, Ind., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rush at their cottage.

Mrs. James Butler has gone to Belding for an extended visit and to recuperate from her long illness. Her little daughter Helen has been with her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hicks left yesterday for a visit with friends at Hudson, Clayton, Rome, Decatur and Martin. Mrs. Hicks expects to be gone two weeks.

If you are troubled with dizzy spells, headache, indigestion, constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. If it fails get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents.

D. G. LOOK.

Chandler Johnson has been having the housekeeping apartments in Masonic hall block painted and repaired and now has a very pretty suite of freshly-papered and painted rooms, light and airy and having electric lights and other conveniences.

The Saranac papers announce with regret the return of Dr. Frank White and wife to Lowell in the near future; and speak in complimentary terms of the dentist's work there. He will occupy a fine suite of offices in the new Bishop building, which should be ready for occupancy next month.

E. H. Cambell arrived from the West last Friday and with his wife to-day returns to Denver, in which vicinity Mr. Cambell has the management of the Alce E. Mining company. He informs us that the company's prospects are bright.

"When Godfrey says so, it's so." I will actually slaughter the prices on \$9,000 worth of men's and boys' suits. I have built up a good big business in this line with good, honest goods at low prices. THIS SLAUGHTER SALE will out-do anything of the kind that ever happened in Lowell. I am going to sell suits a awful cheap. W. S. GODFREY.

A large crowd gathered at Malcom's fair ground last Friday afternoon to see Ed Dixon's Trouble turn the tables on Dell Wood's Polly Pitcher, the former scoring first in both heats, ridden by young John Rhodes. A 12-inning ball game between Moseley and Lowell, resulting in a score of 8 to 7 in favor of the former, was another attraction. The home team had things its own way up to the ninth inning; and lost the game by kicking on the umpire's decisions. A kickless ball game would be a novelty.

How to Buy Perfumes

You can never tell just what a perfume is by smelling of it from a large bottle. The only way is to test its lasting qualities by actual use. That's the way we select all new odors. We take great pains in selecting our odors and confine our purchases to the standard makes.

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JOAN OF THE SWORD

By S. R. CROCKETT, Author of "The Roadside" (Copyright, 1898, 1900, by S. R. Crockett.)

CHAPTER XIX—Continued.

She clasped her hands about his neck. "Will you?" she said again, looking up beseechingly at him. The father stood smiling a little down upon her, more with his eyes than with his lips. "They will kill him and marry you, if I do. And, moreover, pray to me, little one, what will they do to me?" he said.

"Father, they would not dare to meddle with you. Your office—your sanctity, Holy Mother Church herself would protect you. If Conrad were here he would do it for me. I am sure he would marry us."

"And you, young man, said Joan, said Father Clement, turning to the Sparhawk, "what say you to all this?" "I will know all before I consent to put my neck into the halter!"

"I will do whatever the Princess wishes. Her will is mine." "Do not make a virtue of that, young man," said the priest, smiling; "the will of the Princess is also that of most people with whom she comes in contact. Why, ever since she was so high (the indicated with his hand), I declare the Infix hath set her own opinions and dictated her own actions."

The Sparhawk dropped on one knee and bent his head. "Ah, that is better," said the priest, making the sign of benediction above the clustered raven locks. "Rise, sir, I would speak with you a moment apart. My Lady Margaret, will you please to walk on the terrace there a little to confer with the Lady Joan according to the commandment of the Prince."

As he spoke the last words he made a little movement towards the corridor with his hand, at the same moment elevating his voice. The Princess caught his meaning and, before either of her companions could stop her, she slipped to the door, set her hand softly to the latch, and suddenly flung it open. Prince Louis stood without, with head bowed to listen.

The Princess shrilled into a little peal of laughter. "Brother Louis," she cried, clapping her hands, "we have caught you. You must restrain your youthful ardor affections. Your bride is about, to confess."

"The Prince glared at his debonnaire sister as if he could have slain her on the spot." "I returned," he said formally, speaking to the disguised Maurice, "to inform the Princess that her rooms in the main palace were ready for her whenever she deigns to occupy them."

"I thank you, Prince Louis," returned the false Princess, bowing. In his character of a woman betrayed and let prisoner the Sparhawk was speaking of his words, and for other reasons as well. "Come, brother, your arm," said the Princess. "You and I must not intrude. We will leave the good Father and his fair penitent. Come, dear brother, come!"

And with one gay glance back toward the Sparhawk, half over her shoulder, the Lady Margaret took the unwilling arm of her brother and swept out. Verily, as Father Clement had said, she was a royal miter.

longer breaths, sighing in his slumbers like a happy, tired child. Again there came footsteps, quicker and lighter this time, then the crisp rustle of silken skirts, a warm breath of scented air, and the door was closed again. No knocking this time. It was someone who entered as of right.

The Princess Margaret sat down by the couch of Maurice Von Lyнар and, after this manner of which I have told, her heart was moved within her. As she bent a little over the youth and looked into his sleeping face, the likeness to Joan the Duchess came out more strongly than ever, emerging as more startlingly, as a race stamp stands out on the features of the dead. She bent her head still nearer the slightly parted lips. Then she drew quick.

"No," she murmured, smiling at her latent, "I will not—at least not now. I will wait till I hear them coming." She stole her hand under the cloak which covered the sleeper till her cool fingers rested on Maurice's hair. He stirred a little and his lips moved. Then she smiled quivered to the lips. But they did not rise. The eyes of the Princess were very near them now.

"Maurice," she whispered, "wake, dear heart. They are coming." "Margaret!" he would have answered. But could not.

The greetings were soon over. The Princess was alone with Maurice. "I am not a rich man," answered Von Lyнар, "but by the grace of the Duchess Joan neither am I a poor one. She hath bestowed on me one of her father's titles, with lands to match."

"The estates are on the borders of Plassenburg," said Maurice, "and I grant the Executioner's son is a good one," answered the priest. "Better, better to marry than to burn, sayeth Holy Writ. I will marry you and thereafter betake me to the Abbey of Walsingham, where certain my very good friend the Abbot Tobias. For old sake's sake he will keep me safe there till this thing blows over."

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Doctor Brigham Says

MANY PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBE

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The wonderful power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over the diseases of women is not because it is a stimulant, not because it is a palliative, but simply because it is a restorative. It is a restorative because it restores the generative organs, positively curing disease and restoring health and vigor.

It has been my observation that the female that has been a complete array of fruit-bearing trees, canes and vines is the market. The ordinary price to purchase a farm, will pay a good deal more for one on which are the different kinds of fruit growing in considerable quantities than he will pay for a farm buildings and a well-ordered farm is out of all proportion to the money that has been put into it.

As an illustration of this I have in mind a little place on the edge of a neighboring village. A man had bought a lot for \$400 and put on it a \$600 house. Then he spent a few dollars in trees of various kinds and set them out. He did nothing more, except live on the place for a few years and incidentally take care of the trees and shrubs. He had a few dollars in trees of various kinds and set them out. He did nothing more, except live on the place for a few years and incidentally take care of the trees and shrubs.

It is a saying among good farmers that a good foliage means good fruit. While this is not true in every respect, yet it is true that good foliage is necessary if we are to have a large amount of fruit. The growing apple cannot use food material that has come up through the tree directly from the roots. It must pass up through the tree and into the limbs and leaves, in which latter place it is combined with the carbon from the air, and in this way it is carried back to the fruit, into which it passes and is used in the development of the tender cells that form the flesh of the apple as we eat it.

It is obvious, therefore, that the amount of fruit the tree can produce will be regulated largely by the amount of material that is carried up into the leaves. If, therefore, hight and rust, or caterpillars are permitted to destroy the leaves, the preparation of food will be interrupted, and the fruit will be small and of inferior quality. Many a farmer has seen his trees defoliated when the fruit was half grown, and has seen the color—some legends assert that this was because of this said lack of foliage. Therefore the protection of the foliage becomes one of the most important objects of the intelligent grower. The best way to spray his trees with fungicides and with insecticides that he may have a healthy foliage during the entire growing season.

Wild Dogs in Australia. Victoria, Australia, is overrun with wild dogs, the descendants of stray domestic animals. They are as bad as wolves, and are ravaging the flocks.

Heart Right. Life Insurance Companies will not insure a man suffering from heart trouble. The reason is obvious. This is a serious matter; on the husband or father who is solicitous for the future of his dear ones. Often the heart trouble is caused by an unexpected thing and can be cured if taken in time and properly treated.

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Monetary System of China

Emile Bard, a Frenchman, has an interesting chapter on the money of China in his book "Chinese Life in Town and Country." He explains that the unit of Chinese money is the tael, which is not a coin, but a weight of silver—the ounce, of which there are sixteen to the catty, and 1,600 to the picul. The commercial tael is that of Canton, which should weigh 77.73 grains, but usually weighs 75.8. Then there is the tael of Shanghai, which weighs 36.6, and the revenue tael, used in valuing imports and exports, and each large city has its own, that of Tientsin worth from 4 to 6 per cent more than that of Shanghai. Business estimated in taels is carried on by the use of Spanish dollars or silver ingots. The former are weighed and stamped by every south China merchant and have to be re-estimated continually. The ingots of silver are weighed in other parts of 50 or 55 cash are counted as 100.

In Honan the Chinese go to market with two kinds of money—one real, the other dreamed of. Some articles are bought with one, some with the other; certain articles have two prices—one in good money, one in bad.

Beautiful Poems With Long Hair. The following remarks on Tennyson were recently made on an examination paper by a schoolboy in an English literary class: "Lord Alfred Tennyson was a celebrated poet, and wrote a lot of beautiful poems with long hair. His greatest poem is called 'The Idyll King.' He was made a lord, but he was a good man and wrote many odes."—Harper's Weekly, wrote many odes.

Gratitude Well Expressed. Saint Ste. Marie, Mo., Aug. 14th.—Mr. C. L. Smith, painter and decorator, whose home is at 509 Anne street, this city, makes the following statement: "I was laid up with some kind of pain. Some said it was Lumbago, other Sciatica and others again Rheumatism. A few of my friends suggested that it was bad poison, but I wrote a letter to the doctor, and he gave me a great deal of pain; in fact, almost completely crippled me. I had to use two canes to walk about, and even then I was unable to get about. A friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and I began the treatment. After I had used the first box I was able to walk, and very soon after I was completely cured, well and happy, without a pain or ache. Dodd's Kidney Pills seemed to go right to the spot in my case and they will always have my greatest praise."

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London also has had its barricades. On the occasion of the funeral of Queen Caroline, in 1821, the crowd barricaded the route by which she was to have been smuggled out of the capital.

Kindness Wasted on Mules. Notwithstanding the graphic pictures and vigorous language of the mule driver was using, he was a man who evidently had been better days, and when the elderly matron with the veiled face and the contracted eyebrows contenance reproved him for his reckless style of talk and suggested that he use kindness on the animals, he replied: "I don't care, ma'am," he said. "Come, Bellatrix, come, Bellatrix. This leisurely manner of yours is unsatisfactory, you know. Kindly infuse a little more animation into your movements. You are lagging behind the procession. Are you not aware, my amiable quadruped, that this assignment of merchandise to you at this place of destination two hours hence? Allow me to direct your attention to the circumstance that at your present rate of locomotion you will not reach your place of destination in time to be ready for the sale of your merchandise in arriving. Paro me, Bellatrix, but there is no necessity for agitating your candid appendage. There are so flies at this season of the year. You will oblige me greatly by concentrating your energies upon an immediate solution of the traction problem, exemplified by you as the motive power and this vehicle with contracted eyebrows and moved. Bellatrix, may I remind you that you are doing what is known in vulgar parlance as soldiering? I repeat the necessity of appealing to your sense of honor, but the case is urgent. If it were not absolutely necessary, I assure you, I should not address you in terms of remonstrance. Please be more expeditious, both of you, and I pledge you my word you will lose nothing by it. . . . It doesn't seem to do any good, ma'am. New York, July 19th, 1898.

Snatch Moments of Sleep. The question of sleep is again being discussed, and some people are saying "we are not getting any sleep" and others "we do not have enough." It is hardly a matter of which you can lay down a rule, because some people require so much more sleep than others, writes J. Ash-ber-Sterry in the Graphic. When this device called "Snatch Moments of Sleep" was first introduced, I wrote at considerable length with regard to it, and I came to the conclusion that very few people had too much sleep, but they had too much of it at a time. And I pointed out that in this manner we should do well to imitate that exemplary animal the dog. He does not

In Defense of Missionaries

A shallower and more vulgar accusation against missionaries, revivalists, and preachers generally is that while the poor and the suffering are all around and near them, they live on the fat of the land, are well clothed, well housed, raise families and accumulate property, and are not interested in the welfare of the natives. There is scarcely a nook or corner of the earth where Christian missionaries are not struggling laboring to uplift these heathen people into the light of civilization. Bishop Restarick, if he chose to publish his knowledge of conditions in the Hawaiian Islands alone. It is chiefly the work of the street barbers for three-quarters of a century. But suppose it were true, as in a few cases it is true, that specially qualified ministers receive large salaries, broadly false. There is scarcely a nook or corner of the earth where Christian missionaries are not struggling laboring to uplift these heathen people into the light of civilization. Bishop Restarick, if he chose to publish his knowledge of conditions in the Hawaiian Islands alone. It is chiefly the work of the street barbers for three-quarters of a century. But suppose it were true, as in a few cases it is true, that specially qualified ministers receive large salaries, broadly false. There is scarcely a nook or corner of the earth where Christian missionaries are not struggling laboring to uplift these heathen people into the light of civilization. Bishop Restarick, if he chose to publish his knowledge of conditions in the Hawaiian Islands alone. It is chiefly the work of the street barbers for three-quarters of a century. But suppose it were true, as in a few cases it is true, that specially qualified ministers receive large salaries, broadly false.

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LOWELL, MICH.

Heard About Town

Dr. Hodges, dentist. Smith's shoe sale, Aug. 9-Sept. 16. Miss Irene Murphy is visiting friends at Hastings.

Mrs. Jas. Butler has recovered from an extended illness. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blough spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pratt are visiting friends at Albion, N. Y.

How to get a nice pair of shoes cheap, buy them at Smith's shoe sale.

Mrs. F. A. Clark of Mount Pleasant is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Smith.

Misses Lola and Christine Ritter of Portland visited their sister, Mrs. Ed. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gunn have been spending a few days in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hawk are spending a few days with relatives at Lake Odessa.

Mrs. Nancy Collar is spending several weeks at the home of her son Don in Vergennes.

Mrs. Wm. Eckert and daughter, Mina, of Freeport, visited Mrs. J. Beery last Wednesday.

They must be sold—\$9,000 worth of men's and boys' suits—at slaughtering prices, at Godfrey's.

Mrs. Nellie McCarty and grandson, Paul Towles, are spending several weeks at Macatawa Park.

Miss Bernice Griffith has returned from a month's visit with relatives and friends in Grand Rapids.

Miss Ruby Barrett of Grand Rapids is spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. H. Nash.

Miss Ida Cogswell of Grand Rapids visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cogswell, last week.

Mrs. Phila Clark, Mrs. J. B. Yelter and daughter Florence have been spending a week at Macatawa Park.

During my absence from town all orders left with my teamster, Elmer Barr, for wood and coal, will be promptly filled. Yours,

R. B. Boylan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hiller have moved to Saranac, where he has a position in W. A. Covert's dry goods store.

The Afternoon Pedro club held a lawn picnic at the home of Mrs. G. G. Towles Tuesday afternoon. The families of the members were invited to be present.

Mrs. D. C. Booth and two children of Spartfish, S. Dak., and Miss Helen Hine of Detroit are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Coons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Morgan have returned to their home in Grand Rapids after spending a two weeks' vacation with Mrs. A. E. McMahon and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Taylor spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor, in South Boston.

Mrs. Frank Miles of Grand Rapids and Miss Elsie Williams of Reed City are visiting at the homes of W. S. Godfrey and H. W. Hakes this week.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by All Druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Rouse attended the races in Grand Rapids last Thursday and Friday, and also attended the concert given by Field's Minstrels at Power's opera house Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dee of Chicago spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Muir. Mrs. LeRoy Hill accompanied them to Chicago this week, and will spend a week with them before returning to her home in Toledo.

A little Lowell boy had said his prayers and kissed everybody good night but the new hired girl. "Aren't you going to kiss me good night?" said the domestic. "Nope," replied Young Hopeful. "I saw papa try to kiss you this morning and I don't want you to slap me the way you slapped him." The Young Hopeful's mother is wondering whether she will not be able to do her own work from this time on and save the expense of keeping a girl.

Albert O. Wadsworth, for many years a resident of Saranac, died at the home of his son, B. L. Wadsworth, on the old homestead south of town, at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Deceased has been falling in health for some time, but his last illness was but of short duration. He leaves two sons, B. L. of Saranac, and E. O. Wadsworth of Lowell. The funeral services were held from the home Wednesday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock conducted by Rev. H. C. Snyder. [Saranac Local.]

Dr. Snyder, dentist. Phone 156. Big crowds are attending Smith's shoe sale.

McCarty & Henry and Tom Donovan have new awnings.

Miss Meta Blakeslee of Alto visited Miss Reva Hylan last week.

Clara Roomsburg has returned from an extended sojourn in Grand Rapids.

Miss Bessie Faulker has been home from Delton a few days, on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Ford of Cascade visited at the home of Mrs. W. Pardee Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Chamberlain of Newaygo spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Henry Lampman.

Miss Reva Owen returned Sunday from Ada, where she had been spending several days.

Mrs. Mahalia Richmond is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. B. I. Sayles, at Ionia.

Mrs. Gordon Barber was called to Ionia last week by the illness of her little grandchild.

The Congregational ladies of Band No. 3 held a picnic at the park Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Will Murphy of Hastings visited at the home of John Murphy the latter part of last week.

Mrs. S. W. Taylor of Kalamazoo is visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. S. Wait and Mrs. Ed. Taylor.

When in want of ice, wholesale or retail, call on R. P. Morse, the reliable ice dealer. Phone 166.

For window & door frames, mouldings, exterior finish, etc., call Lowell Planing Mill, phone 39.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Morse returned Monday from a visit with relatives and friends at Pawamo and Carson City.

Mrs. Harrison Vorhels has returned to Hammond, Ill., after an extended visit with Mrs. W. H. Gardner.

Miss Grace Covey of Lincoln, Neb., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. P. Hunter, during the past two weeks.

Miss Lizzie McMahon returned Saturday from Howell, where she visited friends during her two weeks' vacation.

Miss Edythe Cowles, who taught in the Lowell school last year, has accepted a position in the Greenville high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Taylor returned Saturday to Houston, Tex., after spending several weeks with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Barrett of Knoxville, Ill., have been spending two weeks with his parents and other relatives here.

On account of our going west we will sell our household goods, at our home near the Grand Trunk depot. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mesecar.

George and Helen Winegar of Saranac spent Saturday and Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Winegar.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hale and daughter Alberta returned Monday evening from Ionia, where they had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Oberly and daughter, Lucile and Miss Ruth Blakeslee of Grand Rapids, were Sunday guests at Geo. Blakeslee's.

Phn Smith says he guesses that he will have to take down that "Slaughter Sale" sign if he expects to have any shoes left by Sept. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dillenbeck and family of Ionia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Dillenbeck and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Meyers and family.

Mrs. A. S. Stannard is recovering from a short illness. Her granddaughter, Miss Ethel Stannard, of South Lowell, has been with her a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boylan left Tuesday for an extended sight-seeing trip through the western states. They expect to spend some time at Yellowstone Park, Salt Lake City, Seattle and Portland.

Phn Smith sells American Girl shoes at \$1.29. Nobody sees how he can do it, as they cost more than that. Phn's only explanation is "Bought at 40c on the Dollar."

Dear Gus—I have solved the mother-in-law problem, just give her regularly Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will make her healthy, happy and docile as a lamb. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. D. G. Look.

Central W. C. T. U. will meet at the west side park Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 22. Honorary day; and all honorary members expected to be present and take part in program.

Ada picnic today. Kill the sand-burs. The Graham block is being painted. Miss Vesta Sturgis visited friends in Grand Rapids several days last week.

Mrs. A. W. Rush returned Saturday to her home in Grand Rapids after spending a week at her cottage here.

\$9,000 slaughter sale of men's and boys' suits. They will go cheap—at Godfrey's.

Mrs. J. O. Goodsell and son Orton of Saginaw have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Callier this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Painter and sons Charlie and Norman, of Colos Springs, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Painter.

Carl Maynard, son of Walter Maynard of East Lowell, has been taken ill with typhoid fever while visiting his aunt at Battle Creek.

\$9,000 stock of men's and boys' suits to be sold at slaughtering prices at W. S. Godfrey's clothing and shoe store.

The Saranac ball team defeated the Grand Rapids Reds at Raouona Park Sunday 11 to 3, the city team being completely outclassed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Werdan of Ionia visited at the home of her uncle Frank Randall, last Thursday, while on their wedding trip to Chicago.

Miss Margaret Mueller, Mrs. A. F. Harner and two children of Elgin, Ill., and Mrs. Edward Walz of Chicago making an extended visit with Mrs. Theodore Mueller and family.

Mrs. Carrie Worden entertained Meadames Geo. Golds, B. F. Wilkinson of Keene and Mrs. D. W. Moody of Los Angeles, Cal., Friday.

Will Cholerton and daughter Isabel have returned from a two weeks' visit in Wisconsin, accompanied by Mrs. Cholerton's mother, Mrs. Saltman, who will make her home with them.

Mrs. Bert Hartwell and two children of Cannonburg and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oberly of Riverdale visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lampman Sunday.

A little forethought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale by All Druggists.

The Gulliford family held a reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gulliford in West Lowell Sunday. The following relatives were present: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Gulliford and Miss Mary, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. John Gulliford and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morse of Lowell.

Every man owes it to himself and his family to master a trade or profession. Read the display advertisement of the six Morse Schools of Telegraphy, in this issue and learn how easily a young man or lady may learn telegraphy and be assured a position.

The Jury reunion was held at the home of J. H. Rittenger and wife and was a very pleasant event. Dinner and supper served on the lawn were the special features. These present were W. O. Jory and wife and Will Jory, wife and two sons of Lowell, James Jory and wife and Miss Mary Gos of Arbor, George Jory, wife and son of St. Paul, Minn., Fred Jory, wife and son of Lake Odessa, Fred Way and wife and Walter and Geo. Voyzey of Ionia. May we all meet again another year.—Com.

Heavy Enough.

"So you want to marry my daughter, eh?" said the stern father. "Do you think you can support her in the style to which she has been accustomed?" "Sure thing," answered the young man who knew whereof he spoke, "that is if she doesn't get any stouter."

I Wonder Why.

He—"Did you ever notice the sunlight on her hair?" She—"Well, I've noticed that it's brighter some times than others."

Real Rapid Transit.

First Passenger—"Beautiful scenery along here. Have you been riding on this line all your life?" Second Passenger—"Well, nearly, I've got about ten miles yet."

It takes a lot of cleverness to make a little cleverness pay.

Even if some things refuse to go your way there are other things.

SILVER CREAM

The Best Silver Polish Made.

Yes! It is different than any polish you ever used.

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OUR COUNTRY COUSINS

ALTO.

George Oberly, wife and little daughter are visiting friends and relatives in this community.

Mrs. Edith Bunker spent a few days last week with her parents at Freeport.

There will be an entertainment at the Baptist church of this place, Friday evening, Aug. 18, for the benefit of improving the church. Admission 10 cents. A fine program will be rendered by home talent. Everybody come.

Miss Glenna Tyler spent a few days with John Kline and family.

We were all sorry to hear of the death of Miss Winnie Proctor, well known here who died at her home in Grand Rapids on Friday, Aug. 11th, of malarial fever and abscess of the brain. Funeral Monday.

Mrs. Frank Kline and Mrs. Robert McVean spent Wednesday at Godfrey Waldeck's near Caledonia.

Ted Ellis spent Friday and Saturday with Wm. Murphy and wife at McBrides.

Robert McVean attended the horse races at Grand Rapids Friday.

C. J. Werts and wife have returned from Grand Rapids and they say Alto is good enough for them.

John Oberly and wife have returned from visiting relatives at different places.

The Ladies' Aid society gave a supper in the post office building Saturday evening. Proceeds \$15.

RECORDS.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Davis of Cascade visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Thursday.

Rebecca Boyce of Middleville is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mabel Cole of Alaska is the guest of her friend, Jennie Clark.

Leon and Lester Myers who have been spending the past two weeks with their aunt, Mrs. Daisy Wood, returned to their home in Grand Rapids Monday.

Mrs. Herbert Burk and little son of Ada spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Streeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vanderlip and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark spent Tuesday with their mother, Mrs. J. Brown, of Freeport.

Arch Wood and Grace Hulzinga are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. C. E. Tucker, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Epley, son Ernest, and Mattie Patterson called on Lowell friends Sunday.

Dinner guests at Fred Pattison's Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. John Pattison of Alaska, Frank and Luin Pattison of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Patterson and son William.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Epley, son Ernest and Mattie Patterson took tea with Mrs. Alonzo Wright of Lowell Sunday evening.

Slaughter prices on suits will help hundreds of men and boys in this vicinity. Money talks—at Godfrey's.

Why Uncle Ned Saved Him.

"That was a brave act!" ejaculated a Boston man, as he stood on the wharf in a little southern town and saw an old negro plunge unhesitatingly into the water to save a very small boy who had stumbled and fallen from some piling. "A brave act, and he is an hero, no matter how black his skin is!"

The Bostonian was foremost in the group that gathered about Uncle Ned when he climbed back on the dock with the rescued lad.

"Your son, is it? he queried. "Or perhaps only your grandson?"

There was very fervent admiration in the down-easter's tones as he put the question.

"No, sub; no, sub," gurgled Uncle Ned. "Dat ill rascal ain't no kinerny er mine."

"Then it was all the braver!" exclaimed the interrogator, positively baring his head out of respect for the old man's high-born courage.

"Huh," sputtered the hero, "you sho' don't think I see dura fool nough to let dat boy drown when he's got every speck er my fish-bait in his pocket?"—Washington Post.

It Did Not Work.



Mamma—"Fighting again, Willie? Didn't I tell you to stop and count one hundred whenever you were angry?" Willie—"But it didn't do any good, Ma. Look what the Jones boy did while I counted!"—Harper's Bazar.

Poor Artist.

Art and Drama met. "There are not so many young men wedded to me as formerly," said Art. "I suppose they could not support you?" interrogated Drama. "No, the trouble was I could not support them."

Many a man loses what little energy he has while waiting for a rich relative to die.

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All our 15, 18 and 20 cents Wash Goods to go at.....	12c	NEW HAND BAGS. Call and look them over.	
		Also ladies black and colored SILK UNDERSKIRTS at.....	4.48
		We have just received a new assortment of LADIES BELTS at popular prices.	
		Silks by the yard for Shirt Waist Suits at all prices.	

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell, held in the Council rooms on Saturday evening, Aug. 12, '05.

Meeting called to order by President, McCarty. Present, Trustees Hicks, Loveland, Smith and Winegar. Absent, Collar and Perry.

Meeting called for the purpose of opening bids on Bridge Bonds.

The following bids were received.

The City Bank, Lowell, Mich., Par, less \$10.00

H. W. Noble & Co., Detroit, Mich., Par, less..... \$10.00

F. L. Fuller & Co., Cleveland, Ohio, Par, less..... \$20.00

Moved by Trustee Hicks, supported by Trustee Winegar that the bid of H. W. Noble & Co. of Detroit be accepted and the bonds be awarded to them. Carried. Yeas, Hicks, Loveland, Smith and Winegar. Absent Collar and Perry.

On motion by Trustee Winegar, Council adjourned.

T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.

A call for Phone No. 239 will get the home of the editor hereafter. Out of office hours, items intended for THE LEDGER will be received at the house. If you do not get us at 200, try 239.

Did You Know That

Austin, Tex. Muskogee, I. T. Dallas, Tex. Waco, Tex. Ft. Worth, Tex. San Antonio, Tex. Galveston, Tex. Shawnee, O. T. Denison, Tex. So. McAlester, I. T. Guthrie, O. T. Tulsa, I. T. Houston, Tex. Oklahoma City

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Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The probate court for the county of Kent:

In the matter of the estate of HIRAN ROBINSON, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 15th day of August A. D. 1905, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county on or before the 15th day of December A. D. 1905, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Friday the 15th day of December, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated August 15, A. D. 1905. HARRY D. JEWELL, Judge of Probate.

Wedding Invitations—The Ledger

Slaughter Sale of Clothing

\$9,000 Worth of Men's and Boys' Suits must be sold quickly and will be sold cheap, Money talks at

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