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IF—

If, we say, your salary should be cut a dollar a week, you would still live. Your employer would be saving a dollar a week from your earnings. Why not you? People become rich by spending less than they make. They keep their expenditures below their income. At the end of each year there is a surplus to their credit in the bank. A bank account puts a system into your saving, because it furnishes a complete record of all money received and paid out.

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Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Repairing.

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You can bank our coal by proper system of checks and drafts. It will pay big dividends in heat by its freedom from impurities. Its interest increases each year with satisfied customers. Deposits promptly made in your bin. Unequaled delivery service. Drafts met on demand from our coal pockets. Our reserves and resources are ample to protect you. We carry at all times the Largest Stock of Coal in town. Our policy towards customers will stand the closest investigation—nothing to conceal. We invite inspection. Your patronage solicited. Once a customer always a patron.

EARL HUNTER

Phone 127 Office in Williams' store.

WOOD AND COAL.

Churches and Societies

CONGREGATIONAL.
The Worth of a Man will be the subject of next Sunday morning's sermon.

Sunday evening the 20th Century Culture Club will furnish a very attractive program. "Four Johns" will be discussed, as follows: John Knox by Mrs. Althen, John Calvin by J. B. Nicholson, John Huss by W.

E. Marsh, John Wycliffe by Prof. Thomas. Other exercises of interest will be given.

SOCIETIES.

Regular convocation of Hooker Chapter R. A. M. will be held Wednesday evening, April 4th. Work on M. M. M. degree.

People using The Ledger Home box must sign their names to insure publication. If they do not wish to do that, let them call at the office and give the news verbally.

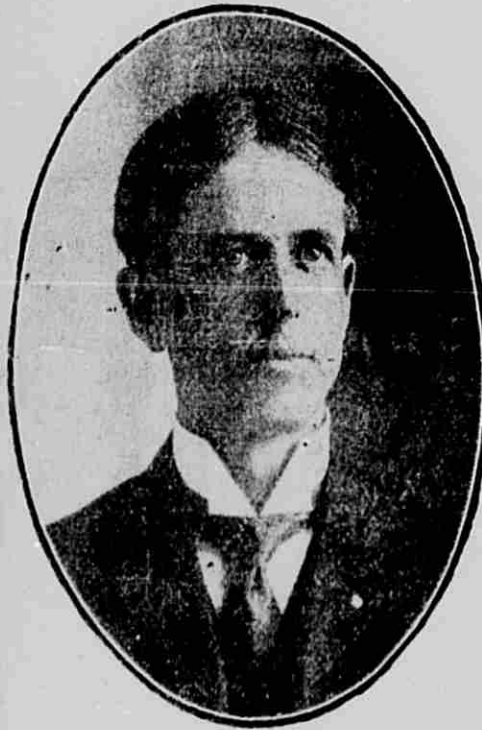
This paper on trial to new subscribers in Kent, Ionia Barry and Montcalm counties 10 weeks for 10c.

TWO NEW FACES IN THE VILLAGE COUNCIL.



J. A. MATTERN,

Newly elected Lowell Village trustee.



H. A. PECKHAM,

Newly elected Lowell Village trustee.

WAS THERE A PACT?

Two Took Carbolic Acid and One Cuts His Throat.

From Grand Rapids Press, March 23.
Is Arthur Heaton's dramatic death attributable to a suicide pact among certain young farmers of Ada township?

This question has been raised by an official of Ada township in a talk with Coroner Simeon LeRoy, who is investigating the Heaton suicide and has failed absolutely to learn of a single reason for his taking poison Wednesday night.

Certain residents of Ada think there is something more than a mere coincidence in the fact that three young men from three adjoining farms should have attempted suicide within only about three weeks. Len Johnson, Will Atkins and Arthur Heaton attempted suicide, and while Johnson, who used a knife, recovered, the other two took carbolic acid and each died.

Johnson had been ill and was said to have been delirious when he cut his throat and ran two miles across country. There appeared no doubt that Atkin's sensational death on the doorstep of the home of the girl of whom he was a great admirer killed himself because of jealousy.

Now Heaton had killed himself with apparently no reason unless ill health may be accepted as the cause, and Heaton never gave evidence of despondency or threatened to kill himself. The farm of Atkins' family is said to adjoin that where Johnson was employed and the Heaton home, it is said, adjoins the Atkins place.

Coroner LeRoy is not inclined to take the suicide pact theory very seriously, but the two suicides and one desperate attempt coming so close together and by young men all well known to each other and living on adjoining properties is no ordinary coincidence.

The funeral of Arthur Heaton will take place Saturday at the home in Ada township at 11 o'clock a. m. and at 1 o'clock at the Ada church.

LOWELL FRIENDS MOURN

For Maggie McMahon Bergin who Died at Howell March 20.

Mrs. Stephen Bergin died very suddenly on March 20th, at her home at Howell. Funeral services were held Friday morning at nine o'clock at the Ocola Catholic church, and solemn mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father Hennessey of Brighton assisted by Fathers Thornton of Howell and Kelley of Lansing.

Deceased whose maiden name was Maggie McMahon, was born in Ada township Aug. 24, 1866. In 1888 she came with her family to Lowell and for a number of years taught in the Kent county schools. Nov. 22, 1897, she was married to Stephen Bergin in this village, and they have since lived on his farm at Howell. She had been in very good health until a day or two before her death, which came as a sad blow to her many friends and relatives.

She leaves her husband and three children Cecelia, George and Ralph; her mother, Mrs. M. McMahon of Lowell; three sisters, Mrs. Geo. McGee and Miss Lizzie McMahon of Lowell and Mrs. P. E. Ronan of Grand Rapids; and four brothers Arthur, Frank, Jim and Charlie McMahon. The following from here attended the funeral: Mrs. M. McMahon and the brothers and sisters John Bergin, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bergin, and T. A. Murphy.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN.

Fine Spring day, this.
B. E. Quick and family of Grand Rapids are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Snooks have rented Dewitt Carveth's house recently owned by W. C. Denick.

A. L. Weyrick is supervising the care of the 200 head of stock belonging to the J. C. Train estate.

Miss Jessie Oliver entertained about fifteen young lady friends Friday evening at a "little girls" party, each guest being in appropriate costume.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bell have bought a fruit farm in Walker township three miles west of Grand Rapids, and the family will soon make their home there.

TOWNSHIP ELECTION

C. Bergin for Supervisor all the Other Candidates Republican.

At the republican caucus last Thursday afternoon the following ticket was nominated:

Supervisor, O. J. Kinyon,
Clerk, C. G. Stone,
Treasurer, Harold L. Weekes,
Highway Commissioner, James McPherson.

Justice (full term) Chas L. Blakeslee,
Justice (to fill vacancy) Henry Lampman.

Member Board of Review, A. L. Coons.

School Inspector, L. H. Merriman.

Constables, Benj. Morse, Geo. P. Taylor, Fred Jacob, Wm D. Chatterton.

As township committee W. S. Wingegar, Clyde Collar and A. S. Houghton were chosen.

The Democratic caucus was held Saturday afternoon. It being understood that Mr. Kinyon had refused to allow his name to run on the republican ticket and that the republican committee had decided not to fill the vacancy, it was decided to be the proper thing for the Democrat caucus to nominate Christ-opher Bergin for supervisor and to reject the rest of the ticket blank. This was accordingly done, the motion being put three times in order that all present might understand its purport and it was decided finally by a show of hands. John Bergin, F. M. Johnson and Earl Hunter were appointed township committee.

SIXTY-FOUR YEARS AGO

Mrs. Betsy Devendorf Came to Lowell, Is 91 Years Old, Well and Cheerful.

Mrs. Betsy Devendorf, a Vergennes pioneer, celebrated her ninety-first birthday last Thursday at her home in Grand Rapids by making up eight beds in the morning and going to a party in the afternoon. She came from New York to Lowell in 1842, driving from Detroit, with her husband, Daniel Devendorf, who was a carpenter. They settled in Vergennes, nine miles from Lowell in the woods. A writer in the Grand Rapids Herald says Mr. Devendorf was the only carpenter and joiner for miles around and that he built the pioneer homes and made their coffins. Afterward, Mr. Devendorf moved nearer Lowell to obtain school advantages for his children and in March, 1853, moved to Grand Rapids, where he bought and operated the Leonard street toll bridge, and died 26 years ago.

Mrs. Devendorf lives with her daughter, Mrs. Bernella Pierce, No. 185 Turner street, and retains her faculties to a remarkable degree. Five of her children are living.

VERGENNES TOWNSHIP TICKETS.

Following is the township ticket nominated by the Democrats of Vergennes:

Supervisor, E. M. Alger,
Clerk, O. J. Odell,
Treasurer, John Downea,
Justice, John H. Wright,
High. Com., Geo. B. Ferro,
School Inspector, Clare Anderson,
Board Review, James Anderson,
Constables, Maxim Denney, Carl James, Will Post, Eugene Lally.
The Republicans named no one in opposition to Mr. Alger, but nominated the balance of a ticket as follows:
Clerk, Arthur Anderson,
Treasurer, M. B. McPherson,
Justice, F. J. Ford,
High. Com., A. Armstrong,
School Inspector, G. Kropf,
Board Review, J. E. Tower,
Constables, C. A. Briggs, A. Fairchild, E. Houllihan, David Garfield.

Keene democrat nominees:
Supervisor—G. P. Hawley
Clerk—Bela Coles
Treasurer—Roy Batson
Justice of Peace—Wallace Davenport and Wm. W. Woodman
Highway Commissioner—K. S. Rickert

Board of Review—John Hoskins
School Inspectors—Ray Hoskins and Emmerson Davenport
Constables—John Brown
Clarence Peck
Ed. Hoskins
Allen W. Hawley



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You

It will bear witness to your good taste if you write it on Twotone or Highland Linen—the popular styles in Eaton-Hurlbut Writing Papers. Plenty of other styles here, too, of these attractive writing papers.

Worthy of Inspection

We have just received 125 boxes of the latest spring styles of Eaton-Hurlbut fine stationery and it's well worth your time to look them over whether you wish to buy now or not.

We believe it is the "swellest" line of box papers ever shown in Lowell. We want your opinion.

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With all the paraphernalia that goes with each. Also always a good supply of up-to-date sheet music, vocal and instrumental. Glad to have you call whether you buy or not.

R. D. Stocking.

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First—It is the best bread made in Lowell.
Second—It keeps moist longer than any other.
Third—It is mixed by machinery, no prespiration from the Baker dripping into it.
Fourth—It is always good, not good today, poor tomorrow, indifferent next day, but always good, sweet and wholesome. You are welcome to our shop any time. We will take great pleasure in explaining things to you. There are no secrets in our method of bread making. Our bake room is new, clean and sanitary. Bread making has been a life study with us and we think we know how to make it.
Come in and let us show you through.

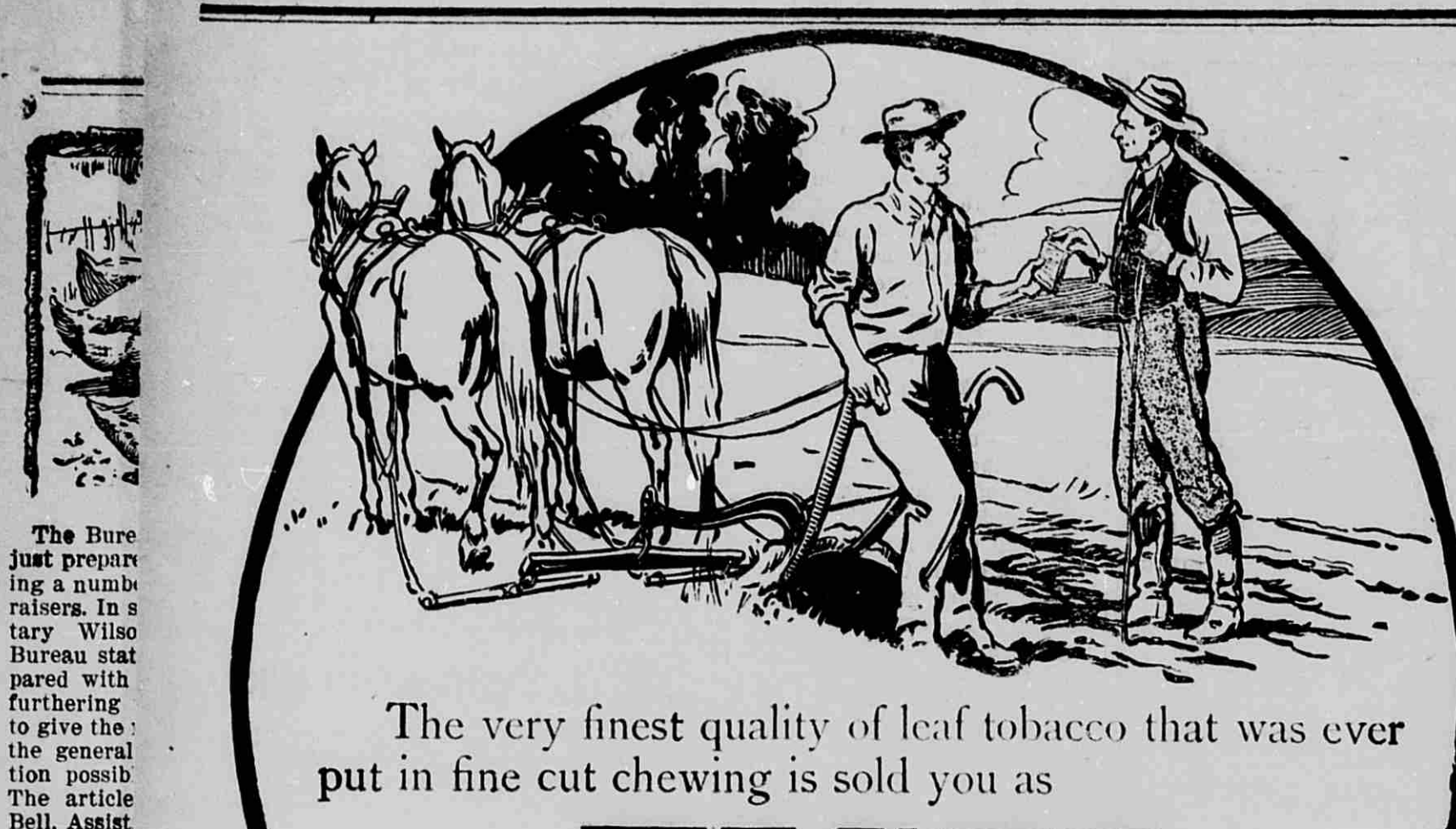
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We have a full stock and our price is as low as we can possibly make it. Call and see us before buying. We want your business.

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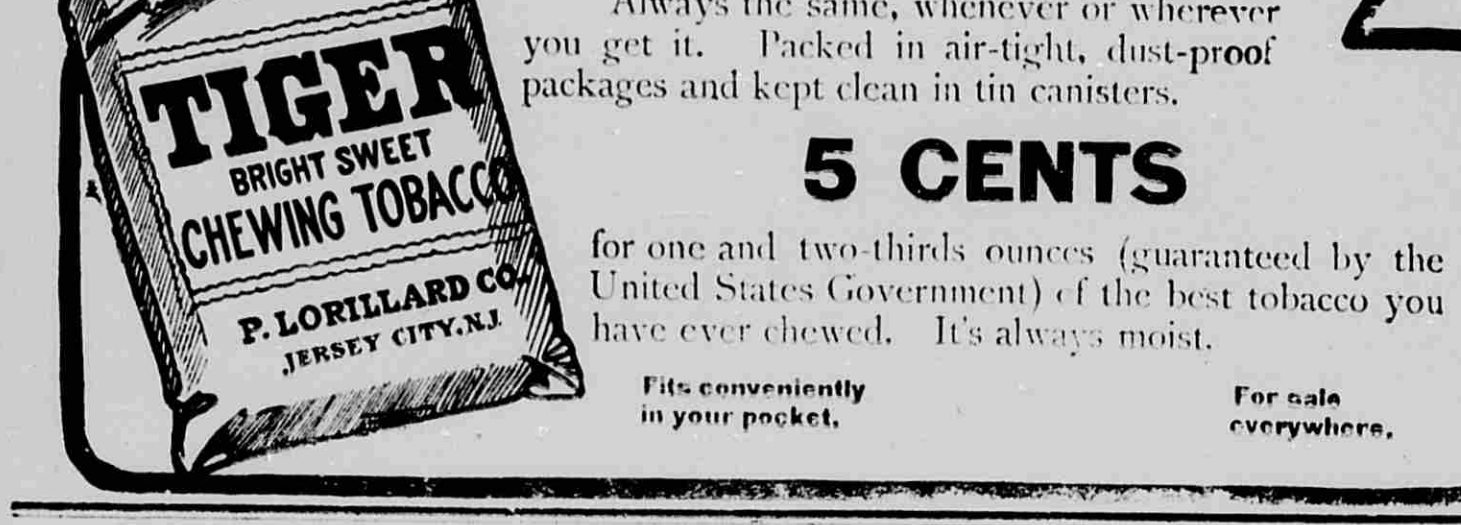


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Always the same, whenever or wherever you get it. Packed in air-tight, dust-proof packages and kept clean in tin canisters.

EMPERESS OF CHINA AN ARTIST DESCRIBES HER MAJESTY AS CHARMING. Dresser Exquisitely and Requisite Her Court to do likewise...

Why He Was Hooping. As a Contractor Thought it His Privilege. For several days the policeman on the beat had observed a small boy who spent the most of his time...

Women and Farming. The contents of Warwick demonstrate her belief in her art and school for women by having a...

Attention! Send the Lady out from front of packages on Cream Soap... Their Best Day.

Insure Your Child's Life. A hand rich in silver fully described in booklet just issued by the Grand...

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills Cure Headache. Almost instantly, and leave no bad effects. They also relieve every other pain...

Prevent All-Aches. By taking one or two Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills when you feel an attack coming on...

A Symphony. To live content with small means; to seek elegance rather than luxury; to be neat, to be simple, to be plain, to be useful, to be cheerful, do all bravely, with good cheer...

As Well as Males. Missouri according to the United States fish commission, is the greatest frog producing state in the union.

Resurrected Whisky. Two miles above Bellevue, Neb., the other day the wreck of the old steamer City of New Orleans was uncovered by a change in the waters of the Missouri.

Personal Influence. It is worth our while to remember that personal influence is not merely a matter of example, but a scientific fact.

The Indian's Keen Ear. It is a curious fact that the higher the civilization of a race the lower the pitch of the voice.

Will Youing to Hurry Matters. "I thought I'm glad to be discouraged," said the grateful editor, melodramatically.

The Tone of Voice. "What's Maude crying about now?" "Oh, she asked her husband if he would marry her again in case she died...

Had No Views at All. Mrs. Gushington-I suppose, now that you have been abroad, you have your own views of foreign life?

Some people, when they own a dog that would peacefully sleep around the yard and make no trouble, tie it up to insure that it will howl.

DUKE BRAND WATCHES. MADE AT THE GREAT WATCH WORKS AT CANTON, OHIO. The more you know of the excellencies of Duerber-Hampden Watches...

Mortgage Sale. Default has been made in payment of a certain mortgage, \$125,000, secured by deed executed by William A. Vanhusen...

Order of Publication. State of Michigan, County of Kent, in the County of Kent, in the County of Kent...

Correct Silverware. "1847 ROGERS BROS." Silverware, plated and fancy pieces. The most perfect silverware made...

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Dr. Derby's Croup Mixture. For cough, croup, and all diseases affecting the Lungs, Throat, Bronchial, and Respiratory passages of child.

PEPPER'S NERVIGOR RESTORES YOUR CURED NEUROUS DEBILITY. THE WORLD'S GREATEST REMEDY FOR NEUROUS DEBILITY...

Dr. G. Look and W. S. Winegar. Sold at Henry's Modern Drug Store.

W. A. Covert Dry Goods Company. Clothing and Dry Goods. We wish to call your attention to fact that we are in the game and have received our spring line of Clothing...

Ladies' Tailor Made Suits and Skirts. We are showing everything in this line in all the new weaves and designs.

Trunks and Suit Cases. We make a specialty of this line and can give you a trunk from \$1.75 to \$15.00.

W. A. Covert Dry Goods Co. Phone 81-2 SARANAC, MICH. More Evidence. It is coming rapidly in Lowell.

PALLANBURG. Guests at Max Denney's Sunday were Elmer Richmond and family of Vergennes, Walter Rogers, wife and daughter of Lowell, Arthur Sayles...

PRET LAKE SOUTH BOSTON. Forty-five neighbors and friends gathered Monday evening for a social affair...

MORSE LAKE. Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Veiter and son Harold were to depart Sunday morning for Lowell...

RENE REPUBLICAN TICKET. The Republicans of Keene township held a caucus on the following ticket...

VERGENNES STATION. Mrs. Z. H. Covert of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Jasper Church of Exeter were at the home of W. D. Church and J. Frost last night.

DR. M. CLAYTON GREENE. Graduate University of Michigan and Post Graduate Course at New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital, New York City.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN. For cement sidewalks and building blocks, see Chubb's...

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES. Vergennes Keene M. E. Church. The Keene Ladies' Aid will meet Monday, April 24...

EMMENT CORNERS PRAISE ITS INGREDIENTS. We refer to that boon to weak, nervous, suffering humanity known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

OUR COUNTRY COUSINS. THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF THE INDEPENDENT CHURCH will hold their fair on Wednesday, April 11th.

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Are You Going to Build? Let Us Figure With You. We want you to get our prices before buying. Our lumber is not cheap lumber, because cheap lumber is poor lumber.

Cement Building Blocks. Sash and Doors. Marble Head Lining. Wood Pulp Plaster. For your wall and ceilings, the plaster that's sold as a rock...

Lowell Lumber Co. LOWELL, MICH. DR. M. CLAYTON GREENE. Graduate University of Michigan and Post Graduate Course at New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital, New York City.

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K & K. DR. KENNEDY & KERGAN. Specialists in the Treatment of Nervous, Blood, Skin and Special Diseases. No names used without written consent.

MUST BE SOLD Hurry! Hurry! Be Quick!

TO THE PUBLIC:—Having decided to close out my entire stock of FURNITURE only I have placed the same in the hands of E. B. Longwell Co., of Chicago, Ill., to be sold on the premises regardless of cost. Trusting you will avail yourself of this great sacrifice sale, I am
Yours respectfully, H. W. HAKES, Lowell, Mich.

P. S.—P. S.—P. S.—Don't miss this golden opportunity for we only have a short time in which to Slaughter this elegant stock of Furniture. This will be the greatest slaughter ever attempted in Lowell. Come and be convinced. See for yourself. Prices talk all languages. Shrewd buyers need no urging, your common sense commands.

**LEWIS BARTELS, Auctioneer and Mgr. in Charge
Lowell, Mich.**

P. S.—Notice H. W. Hakes will devote his entire time to the Undertaking and Picture Framing business in the same place as before and will be pleased to have you call in case of need. Yours respectfully,
H. W. HAKES.

ELMDALE.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgus entertained company from Grand Rapids and Lowell over Sunday.
Mrs. Harvey Kaufman of Goshen, Ind., who came to attend the funeral of Earl Stahl, is visiting friends around Elmdale and Logan.
Miss Lucy Mishler, who has been at Lake Odessa for several months assisting Mrs. Hines with household duties, returned to her home Friday.
Mrs. Lenard, who has been very ill for several weeks, is much better.
Visitors at G. Wieland's Sunday were C. G. Wieland and wife of South Lowell, the Misses Rosa Weaver, Eunice Herber, Amelia Long, Mildred Quant, Messrs. G. Fisher and M. Hoffman.
Miss Betsy Kaufman is recovering. Rev. Miller of White Cloud preached at the Mennonite church Sunday.
Mrs. Geo. Bartlett spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. Wieland.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Richardson entertained a few friends and neighbors one evening last week. Music, recitations and games were on the program and a lovely supper was served.
A large number attended the Dunkard services Sunday evening.
Miss Eunice Herber has been sewing for Mrs. Jay Trowbridge the past few days.
Mrs. Sam. Kine had a carpet-rag bee one day last week. A goodly number were present, and the usual jolly time prevailed.
Mrs. Geo. Kilgus returned from Caledonia Saturday evening, where she has been visiting her parents.
Bradish & Son have an electric motor attached to their harness machine.
Moseley Gleaners will give a dance at Moseley Wednesday evening, April 18. Music by Lowell orchestra. Bill \$1.00.

Our Secret

Depositors sometimes think that it is possible for people other than themselves to find out how much money they have on deposit in this bank. Such is not the case. This secret is guarded as carefully as the money itself and under no condition will we divulge it to an unauthorized person. The strict adherence to this rule is one of the reasons for the popularity and success of this bank.
We invite you to do business here.

THE LOWELL STATE BANK

Heard About Town

Dr. Hodges, dentist. If
Dr. White, dentist, office 'phone 151 residence phone 186.
A. W. Burnett has been nominated for clerk of Boston township.
Jay J. Evans, formerly of Vergennes, has settled at Sylacauga, Ala.
Baker of South Boston, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Needham, Jr., of South Lowell.
Mrs. Marla Jones of Grand Rapids is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Vaughan.
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rogers have moved into John R. White's house on the west side.
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pottruff and Miss Ella Ford and friend spent Sunday with Mrs. N. Ford at Logan.
Miss Alice Griffith and Donald Crawford attended a gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgus at Elmdale Sunday and furnished music.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Gilbert of Casnovia spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of the latter's brother, Ransom Vaughan.
Call at B. C. Smith's and see the finest line of cloths for men's pants, suits, Spring overcoats, etc., ever shown in Lowell.
Wm. Hooper and Miss Flora McKenzie of Campbell township were married yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. H. Westbrook at his home in this village.
Invitations are out for the wedding of Harry Fallas, son of Fred Fallas formerly of Lowell, and Miss Russell Williams at Ukiah Cal., Sunday afternoon, April first.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgus gave a pedro party Saturday evening at their home at Elmdale in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crawford and daughter Vera. The company was entertained with games and music, after which a fine supper was served.
Keep the little ones healthy and happy. Their tender, sensitive bodies require gentle, healing remedies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will keep them strong and well. 35 cents, Tea or tablets.
D. G. Look.
Main street bridges will soon be in shape for the cement; and the long, disagreeable wait will be over, much to the joy of numerous people who have done business under a handicap for many months. Pedestrians and horsemen will likewise rejoice in a clean, straight crossing; and everyone will be glad for the great improvement that will result in the appearance of Main street. As for the expense, we must remember for our comfort that the continual, everlasting, unsatisfactory repair bill, running into the hundreds every year for a lifetime, will be stopped.

Dr. Snyder, dentist. Phone 156.
Horse clipping at Jones' livery barn.
Mrs. Ross is recovering from a severe illness.
Mrs. D. K. Thung left today for New York, to join her husband.
Ellis Bush of Grand Rapids visited friends and relatives here last week.
J. B. Taylor is entertaining his mother, Mrs. Taylor, of Highland.
Mrs. F. Spagnola and baby spent a few days at Belding last week.
Lella Hurley of Grand Rapids is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Kopf.
Eugene Mathewson of Portland was in town Tuesday calling on old friends.
Miss Louise Murphy is home from Benton Harbor on her Spring vacation.
Mrs. L. J. Post and daughter Miss Audie spent Tuesday in Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burr of South Boston spent Sunday at the home of Henry Hiller.
Over 300 patterns to select from in Look's wall paper stock, and prices lower than ever.
Mrs. Lily Churchill and little son of Ionia visited at the home of S. P. Hale over Sunday.
Miss Celia Noble, who is teaching at Milan, is spending a week's vacation at her home here.
John Mills is getting material for a new house on his vacant lot on Washington street.
Little Helen and Marjorie, daughters of Will Gullford of Allegan, are recovering from an illness.
Miss Cale Churchill of Ionia spent Sunday and Monday with Misses Athol and Beulah Meyers.
The East side afternoon club was entertained Monday evening at the home of Mrs. R. B. Boylan.
Chas. B. Jack announces that there will be a masquerade at the rink Friday evening, April 6.
Will Jury injured his right hand, losing two fingers, in the factory of the Specialty Company Friday.
F. T. King returned Tuesday from a three weeks' business trip to Chicago and northern Wisconsin.
Miss Lizzie Terwilliger of Newaygo is visiting her sister Mrs. A. D. Oliver and her father Benj. Terwilliger.
To the ladies of Lowell and vicinity—we wish to announce our Easter opening Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 5th., 6th., and 7th., to which you are cordially invited. Mrs. R. D. Stocking, Apr. 5.

Newspapers, 25 for 5c, Ledger office.
Mrs. I. H. Joseph is recovering from a severe illness.
The Sewing club met with Nina Wisner Tuesday night.
Mrs. Geo. M. Winegar entertained the Summer club last evening.
All that is new and up-to-date in wall paper, at Henry's drug store.
Floyd Oliver entertained the class of 1906 last Wednesday evening.
Look's wall paper stock is ready. It's larger and better than ever.
Misses Lila Lawrence and Katherine Lewis are home from Ypsilanti for a few days.
Miss Lina Bostwick of Grand Rapids has been spending a few days with Miss Dell Winegar.
Jerome, little son of Prof. J. F. Thomas, fell downstairs breaking his right arm at the elbow Tuesday night.
Herbert Oliver entertained the ninth grade which he has recently joined with games and graphophone music Friday evening.
Don't fail to attend our Easter opening Apr. 5th., 6th. and 7th., as we will have on display the most beautiful line of hats we have ever shown. Mrs. R. D. Stocking.
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rogers of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Belger and son of Boston Center and Ray Trumble of Saranac took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Myron Quay Sunday.
Russel, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Krum of Stanton, was buried yesterday forenoon from the home of John Krum, Rev. J. H. Westbrook conducting the services, and interment took place in Krum cemetery.
In the spring time you renovate your house. Why not your body? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea drives out impurities, cleanses and enriches the blood and purifies the entire system. 35 cents.
D. G. Look.
"Young people wanted to learn telegraphy. Railroads and telegraphy companies need operators badly. Total cost, six months' course at our school, tuition (telegraphy and typewriting), board and room, \$91; this can be reduced. Catalogue free. Dodge's Institute, Monroe St., Valparaiso, Indiana." apr5
Mrs. Clinton Wood (nee Ada Lind) of McCords was given a complete surprise by the class of 1904 of which she is a member, at the home of Miss Maud Andrews Friday evening. Letters were read from absent members, music and other pleasant entertainment was furnished and a picnic supper was spread. Mrs. Wood expects to leave next week for Alberta, Canada, to join her husband who is taking up a homestead.

GLASSES EASILY FITTED

We can easily fit glasses for any case of defective vision and the fitting is easy for the patient. We have everything needed in the way of equipment and make examination in such a manner that it is not tiresome or annoying in any way. It is apt to be done very promptly too, because we do not have to experiment or try various plans in order to locate the troubles. We fit easily because we know how to fit perfectly. Our prices are always very reasonable and the work is guaranteed.

Examinations Free

**Williams
THE JEWELER.**

Don Parker has been ill the past week.
Good team of horses for sale. Inquire of R. B. Boylan.
It will pay you to read Henry's wall paper ad. on back page.
If you have any papering to do it will pay you to investigate Look's stock and prices.
If your subscription label does not end in "07" please call at the office and have it fixed.
Miss Irene Murphy, who has been home from her school at Hastings with scarlet fever, is recovering.
Miss Ethel Williams of Evart spent the first of the week with Mrs. Arthur Nerreter and Miss Bessie Tate.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morse returned Tuesday morning to their home at Chesterfield after a week's visit with relatives and friends here.
Invitations have been received here for the marriage of Miss Maud Irene Robinson, daughter of Geo. W. Robinson of N. Y., to Mr. Arthur Corties on Apr. 18th., at All Angels Church in the city of New York. Miss Robinson is a granddaughter of Lewis Robinson of Vergennes and has many relatives and friends here.
THREE NEW LUMBER WAGONS for sale. See W. W. Pullen, Hawk's Shoe Store.

LOGAN.

Mrs. Althouse and baby Fern of Freeport have been spending a few days with the former's parents, H. Seese and wife.
Earl Stahl died at his home here Tuesday, Mar. 20th., aged twelve years. The funeral was held Friday at ten o'clock at the Old Mennonite church.
H. Seese and W. Althouse visited the latter's mother at Dutton over Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Pottruff, Miss Ella Ford and Lester Combs of Lowell spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. N. Ford.
Semah Seese and family of Irving visited at the home of his brother, Hiram Seese, Sunday.
WEST LOWELL.
Charles Priest surprised all his friends when he unexpectedly arrived from Canada Saturday.
Mr. Mrs. Gabe Oman and baby Viola visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reynolds Sunday.
Miss Emma Carey visited Mrs. Thompson Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Easterday, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Onan, Mr. and Mrs. Seward Onan and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stinton Sunday.
The Ladies' Aid Society of Willing Workers will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur Green Apr. 3.
Clyde Mullen made a trip to Grand Rapids Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Blair visited relatives in Grand Rapids Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. Harry Anderson and daughters Crystal and Viola of Lowell spent Sunday with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carey.
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Travis and Mr. and Mrs. John Covert are moving into the old McCarty house.
James Green has sold his farm and is moving his family to Lowell.

SOUVENIR POST CARDS OF LOWELL.

New King block.
Borax Bill and his twenty-mule team.
Main street east in flood before the big fire.
New Negonce block.
New Electric Light and Power station.
Flood view, Grand river valley.
The old saw mill in 1880.
Flood view from Methodist church west.
Flood views (2) destruction of buildings, sidewalks, bridges and road way June 1905.
After the big fire.
Island Park.
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