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LARGEST CIRCULATION

Do Your Own Banking.

Your earnings get into the bank whether you put them there or not. If you spend all somebody else deposits your money.

Better start a Savings Account TO-DAY and receive the benefits—3 per cent interest—yourself.

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ADVERTISE YOUR TOWN

It Will Pay Lowell As Surely As It Has Other Places.

The quickened intelligence of the American people of today responds more quickly and surely to any question of national or local interest than at any period in the world's history. The country is growing up at a tremendous pace. Manufacturers are casting about for favorable factory locations. Millions of people are seeking new homes. What has been done and is being done in other localities can be accomplished right here in Lowell. The advantages are two fold:—it being new life and new life and capital to the town.

By interesting outside people in the future of the town it means contentment on part of those already located. It means more business for the merchant, steadier employment and increased wages for men employed, and better homes. The job is a big one and should be undertaken with earnestness, not the work of one man but the work of many. Everybody should contribute to the end.

The merchant should advertise his goods. Every merchant should. Any business not worth advertising should be advertised for sale.

People will not come to a market today that is afraid to say what the market affords, and give the market quotations.

Merchants should let the people know what is for sale, and if the prices are what they should be, be plainly stated. Every person within a radius that would be benefited by the welfare of the town should become a subscriber and a boomer for the home paper and home merchants.

The newspaper should aid and encourage every worthy enterprise. Happily the Ledger seems willing to do its share and more too, being called on to contribute brains and valuable space worth its value in cash in season and out of season, toward measures that offer not the slightest recompense.

Boom your town—Boom your paper.—Boom your merchants. They are worthy of your co-operation.

This note I trust will receive your earnest and I hope generous consideration. For it comes from one who has only the kindest regards for the town of Lowell and its people.

OBSERVER.

DANIELS-WARREN WEDDING.

The wedding of Frank H. Daniels, a popular resident of Keene, and Miss Adelle Warren of Belding, daughter of Mrs. Seymour Waldron of Howard City vicinity, took place at Stanton last Wednesday, Jan. 9th, 1907, at noon, the pastor of the Stanton Baptist church performing the ceremony. The couple were attended by Miss Amelia Hopkins and Will Wilson, both of Belding.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels left soon after for a wedding trip to Chicago and will visit friends in Kalamazoo, Durand and several other places before returning. They will reside at the pleasant home of the groom in Keene, where they will be welcomed by a large circle of friends.

SINGING SCHOOL TO BE ORGANIZED.

Two singing schools will be organized this week by Miss Isabelle Fallas, one for children under sixteen years of age, which meets Tuesday evenings at seven o'clock at her residence. The other is for people over sixteen years of age and will meet in the K. O. T. M. lodge rooms in the King block at eight o'clock Friday evenings. The small fee of ten cents a lesson will be charged. Every body come and give these schools a hearty support.

JESSE TOMPSETT INJURED.

Jesse Tompsett received several severe scalp wounds in an accident in the new Murray building in Grand Rapids Tuesday when two workmen were plunged from a scaffolding, by slipping of a plank, down through a skylight. Mr. Tompsett, who was starting on a trip to Jacksonville, Fla., was seated in the office of the Edward M. Deane Company below, into which the men fell. The following paragraph concerning the accident was taken from the Press:

Jesse Tompsett of Lowell Mich., was sitting on a bench directly beneath a skylight when the crash came and large pieces of the falling glass cut his head in a dozen places. With the blood streaming from these wounds he did all in his power to render assistance to the painters who were evidently more terribly hurt.

SOCIETIES.

The (Lower Leaf Club will meet with Mrs. James Scott Tuesday, Jan. 22d. The L. O. T. M. M. will install their officers the evening of Jan. 30th., instead of Jan. 23d. Every Lady Macabee is entitled to invite two friends.

The L. L. C. met at the home of Mrs. F. T. King Jan. 9th., '07. Meeting called to order by the president, Mrs. C. D. Parker. Rev. Brady gave a short talk on the feasibility of holding the meetings of the club at St. Paul's Guild. A carefully prepared program arranged by the director, Mrs. F. T. King, gave the ladies an interesting afternoon. After accepting the invitation of Mr. Brady the club adjourned to meet at St. Paul's Guild Wednesday, Jan. 23d., '07.

The regular meeting of Prudent Patricians will be held on Monday evening, Jan. 21st., 1907. All members are requested to be present.

The Degree of Honor will meet at the St. Paul's Guild Jan. 23d. at seven-thirty sharp. Every member is urged to be present.

Rev. Russell H. Brady is in Toledo, O., this week, assisting in special meetings at the Plymouth Congregational church.

FIRST ANNUAL BANQUET

Lowell Board of Trade Will Be Held Next Tuesday Evening.

The Lowell Board of Trade will hold their first annual banquet Tuesday evening, Jan. 22d., at their headquarters in the King block. The banquet will be served at eight o'clock, and there will be some prominent speakers from out of town and also music. An effort is being made by the committee to make it a pleasant and successful event.

All those who have paid dues the past year are entitled to banquet tickets, and any persons who desire to join may pay their dues that night and attend the banquet.

Now is the time to get into the band wagon and help do something for our home town. Don't hang back and say "I wonder what the Board of Trade is going to do?" Join in the movement and help do. Remember, "The Lord helps those who help themselves."

FORMER OLD RESIDENT

Of Lowell, Mrs. Martha Vanderlip, Died at Belding Monday.

Mrs. Martha Vanderlip, who was a resident of Lowell more than forty years, died at her home at Belding Monday afternoon. Funeral services were held there yesterday morning at eight-thirty, and interment took place at Oakwood cemetery, at two o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vanderlip and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vanderlip accompanying the body to its last resting place.

Deceased, whose maiden name was Martha Kitchen, was born in Ontario, Can., Dec. 17, 1834. She was married to John Vanderlip, also of Ontario, and they soon afterward moved to Michigan, settling on a farm in Vergennes. About forty-four years ago they came to Lowell, living here continually until her husband's death, eighteen years ago. She has since made her home with her only son, Bert Vanderlip, and the family moved to Belding last fall.

DEATH IN OKLAHOMA

Of H. C. Owen a Former Resident of Lowell.

Herbert C. Owen, formerly of Lowell, died of tuberculosis of the lungs, at Greymon, Beaver Co., Oklahoma, Friday, January eleventh. Funeral services were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Potter of that place, cousins of the deceased.

Herbert C. Owen was born in Danville, Livingston County, N. Y., and came to Michigan with his parents when a child. His early life was passed in Lowell, where he was married to Edith Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen, and daughter Reva, had lived in Chandler, eastern Oklahoma, for several years.

Last year, when their daughter came to Chicago to study, Mr. and Mrs. Owen started for Beaver county, western Oklahoma, to take up a claim.

In the spring Mr. Owen suffered an attack of pneumonia, which delayed them several months, but his one ambition was to leave a home for his wife and daughter, so in spite of his intense suffering, they continued their journey west, secured one hundred sixty acres of land, returned to Chandler for their household goods, succeeded in making the return trip, and enjoyed four days on their new place.

They went to Greymon, the nearest railroad station, sixty miles from their claim, for lumber to erect a house. There Mr. Owen grew rapidly weaker, and was unable to return.

His wife, accompanied by a friend who offered her services, heroically made the trip back to the farm, and reached Greymon again four days before the death of her husband.

His daughter Reva, field secretary of the Deaconess Baby Fold, Normal, Illinois, arrived at Greymon the day before her father's death.

As the result of the attack of pneumonia last spring, he had a troublesome cough, which had grown rapidly worse in their struggle to reach the new home. Letters written to his mother and sisters the last week of his illness, indicate that he realized his serious condition, but his physician held out the hope that, if his life could be prolonged past blossoming time, there might be a permanent recovery.

The departed would wish no eulogy upon his name to be spoken, but it is nevertheless fitting to say, that his was a generous nature, unselfish, firm, and just. He spoke ill of none, always withheld adverse judgement, and was charitable towards the faults of others. To those who knew him best, he possessed those qualities of heart and mind which endear his memory.

At the time of his funeral, his mother, Mrs. A. H. Owen, was ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. S. Mount of Albion. His other sister, Mary N. Owen of Grand Rapids, went to Albion to be with them.—[Com.]

WANTS TO SUE FATHER BYRNE.

The case of Agnes Quillan, who petitioned for the appointment of an administrator for the estate of Ann Van Dyke, her aunt, came up in probate court yesterday. It was adjourned until January 18.

Mrs. Quillan desires the appointment of and administrator for the estate so that suit can be brought against Father J. J. Byrne to recover \$2,000, which she claims belongs to the estate.

A suit brought by Mrs. Quillan against Father Byrne in the circuit court for \$1,000 some time ago was lost.—Grand Rapids Press.

In time of war keep your powder dry, in time of peace keep on the safe side by buying your Drugs at

Look's Drug and Book Store.



The character of our store is of the highest order. If there are any objectionable features here we wish you would point them out to us. It is our desire to conduct a perfectly satisfactory Drug Store.

Our Store affords many conveniences not commonly found and quality of goods is seldom matched. As to service, we hope you will make it your way to try it soon.

D. S. Look,
The Quality Drug and Book Store.

Special Sale Of Sheet Music

Now on and continuing until Saturday evening January 19. Music at

Half Price.

Big shipment of Victor and Edison Phonograph Records Coming this week.

R. D. STOCKING

Headquarters for Pianos and Organs.

We are showing the most complete line of

Heating Stoves and Ranges

Ever shown in Lowell.

Here is a List We are Justly Proud of

- Ideal Jewel, Art Garland and Favorite Hard Coal Stoves.
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- Wood Heaters in large variety.
- Favorite and Jewel Steel Ranges.
- Majestic Malleable Ranges.

Come in and Look Our List Over and Get Our Prices

Scott Hardware Co.

When You Are in Need

OF Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Fancy China, Dinnerware, Glassware, Cut Glass, Phonographs and Records, Kodaks and Supplies or fine Stationery,

Please call and examine our stock and compare our prices with what others for ask similar or lower grade articles. No trouble to show goods, whether you buy or not. You are always welcome.

A. D. OLIVER.

Prompt and expert repairing a specialty.

Is the Best too Good for You?

If not, eat

Potato Bread.

Pure, sweet, wholesome, nourishing, satisfying. None better anywhere.

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ECONOMICAL FUEL

The CHEAPEST and BEST fuel is COAL—that is if it is good coal. Our Coal is guaranteed to be the best, uniform in size and burns down to a clean ash. Place your order with US today and get satisfaction.

EARL HUNTER

Phone 127 Office in Williams' store.

WOOD AND COAL

Annual Inventory Sale.

Just finished Inventory, got all the broken lots together and am going to close them out before Spring goods begin to arrive. This is the way I'm going to do it:

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| Boys Vests. One lot of boys odd vests that regularly sold at 50c. to 1.50. Sale price..... 10c One lot mens vests regular 1.00 to 2.50 goods. Sale price..... 35c One lot of mens silk neck scarfs 50c. goods. Sale price..... 35c | Overcoats and Clothing. One Lot Mens' and Boys Overcoats at ONE-HALF PRICE. One lot of best goods, all new ONE-FOURTH OFF. One Lot of Boys' long pant suits \$7.00 to \$10.00 - - - \$2.50. (These are odd lots, some slightly soiled but good goods.) | Boys Pants. One lot of boys long pants regular 1.00 to 2.00. Sale price..... 75c One lot of boys odd coats regular 2.00 to 4.00. Sale price..... 50c One lot of corduroy, duck, leather and mackinaw jackets at..... 1/4 Off |
| Boys Caps. One lot 25c and 50c. odds and ends. Sale price..... 5c | One Lot of good suits, but broken sizes at ONE-FOURTH OFF. | |

This is a sale of goods just as described and reduced in price exactly as I have told you. The above are just a few of the bargains. Come and see.

Sale Begins Saturday, January 19th, Ends January 31st.

MART SIMPSON, LOWELL, MICH.

From Our Point of View

HAVING made a cash-basis contract for railroad advertising, received 1,500 miles of transportation for 1907 with more coming, on old contracts, a letter from Wilmer Atkinson of Philadelphia—publisher of the Farm Journal—assuring us that "Madden's guns are spiked" on the postal proposition, and letters from the National Editorial and National Weekly Publishers association conveying the cheering information that bills to correct the ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission on railroad newspaper contracts have been introduced in the Senate and House, that both of these powerful associations are alive, and with assurances from Senators Al-

senator-elect Smith that these matters will receive the attention, THE LEDGER is feeling that the wisecracks who think there is nothing to be gained and lost by it," may learn something in the course of time.

WM. ALDEN SMITH's great victory means much to the Republican party of Michigan and to all the people of the State. It is at once a rebuke to the money-power in politics, a death-blow to the machine and a promise of the election of senators by direct vote of the people in the future, and a notice of the retirement of Senator Burrows four years hence. In the naming of Mr. Smith's successor, the Democracy will demand a hearing; and the result will be a new lease of life for the opposition party in this district. The politics of the new member will not be known until the votes are counted; so it behooves both parties to select their candidates with care. That this will be a good thing for the entire district, all intelligent, fair-minded men will admit. It is not well to have one-ticket elections like our last.

DETROIT merchants renting stores on Woodward avenue have to pay \$1,000 a front foot per year for the privilege, so the Journal of that city informs us. Thus a store twenty feet wide would cost its occupant \$20,000 per year, to say nothing of other expenses in like proportion. Now, how are those merchants going to meet their enormous expenses except by large profits made off their customers? What are their chances for making low prices beside those of merchants in towns like Lowell, where rents are but a few hundred dollars per year? If people would use their head-pieces a little, they would not go rushing off to high-priced city stores to do their trading. Stick a pin here!

A WRITER in the New York Independent who declares himself to be pastor of a prominent orthodox church in that city, avows in an unsigned article his disbelief in the virgin birth of Christ and the inspiration of the Bible and his admiration for Dr. Crapsey. Nevertheless he proposes to keep his heresy to himself, go on preaching and let out the martyrdom business to others, while he holds his job and draws his salary. So far as honesty, principle and moral courage are concerned, it strikes us Dr. Crapsey has a big lead on the Independent's anonymous contributor.

FROM newsboy and popcorn vender to United States Senator is a far cry. Like that of the Mill Boy of the Slashes, the Rail Splitter and the Canal Driver, the rise of Senator Wm. Alden Smith will be an inspiration to ambitious poor boys every where. Mr. Smith has fairly won and deserves his great honor.

ON FURTHER thought the President has withdrawn that portion of his hasty order depriving colored soldiers of civil rights after discharge on account of the Brownsville riot. "A wise man sometimes changes his mind: a fool never does."

CONGRESS has passed a bill limiting the working hours of railroad employes. It is a much-needed reform, as there can be no question that many accidents and loss of life are due to sleepy, overworked train men and operators.

There seems to be some objections in the South to the candidacy of W. J. Bryan; and as that section furnishes most of the Democrat votes, it should be heard. Perhaps second place on the ticket would mollify Dixie.

REV. DR. CRAPSEY, the deposed Episcopal minister, is preaching to brilliant audiences in the Lyceum theater in Rochester. Free speech will not down.

Our Country Cousins

KEENE CENTER.
 Chester Moe of Vanderbilt is spending a few days with his cousin, Mrs. R. N. Sparks.

Mrs. George Raymond is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harley Hunter, at Ionia.
 Ray Cavels still ill with rheumatism with which he has been suffering for a number of weeks.—Vine Hunter's baby is recovering from a severe illness.—Morgan Titus and B. F. Wilkinson return to their duties at Ionia court next week.—Guy Heath of Grand Rapids is the guest of his cousin, B. F. Wilkinson.—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carr spent Saturday and Sunday with friends near Snyrna.—Mrs. Adams is spending a week at the home of her son Grant at Bannfield, Mich.—Mrs. Mark Brown of Orlino is visiting her mother, Mrs. T. Daniels.—Keene people were somewhat surprised to hear of the marriage of Frank Daniels and Miss Addie Warren which occurred last week.—A surprise was given E. A. Wilkinson Friday in honor of his 84th birthday anniversary. Those present were his grandchildren, Mrs. R. N. Sparks, Mrs. Geo. Golds and daughter Mrs. M. B. Wilkinson of Saranac, and Chester Moe of Vanderbilt. A bountiful birthday dinner was served, and the reunion was a very pleasant one in every respect.—Mr. and Mrs. Will Cave and two children of Chicago are spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Israel Cave.—Oren Hatch and Miss Myrtle Hatch of Lowell spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Titus.

The Grip.
 "Before we can sympathize with others, we must have suffered ourselves." No one can realize the suffering attendant upon an attack of the grip unless he has had the actual experience. There is probably no disease that causes so much physical and mental agony, or which so successfully defies medical aid. All danger from the grip, however, may be avoided by the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy, not one case has ever been reported that has resulted in pneumonia or that has not recovered. For sale by M. N. HENRY.

VERGENES STATION.
 James Phelps returned last week from the North, where he has been for the past few months.—Joe Waters of Carson City called on E. Rux last Monday.—Jacob Gobie was in Belding on business Monday.—Ralph Ford came near losing his home by fire recently. Clothing hanging near the stove-pipe caught fire and but for the timely assistance of a neighbor, the house would have gone up in smoke.—Mrs. Hattie Culver and son visited relatives at Lowell Saturday and Sunday.—R. B. Davis is cutting ice this week on the pond. The ice is 9 inches thick.—Mrs. Frank Keech and son visited at Lowell and vicinity Saturday and Sunday.—Miss Jones, the Moseley teacher, is ill. Mrs. Emma Wilson is spending the winter with relatives here.—Mrs. Day Condon is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cave, helping care for her husband, who is ill.—Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frost are visiting the latter's sister at Ionia.—Hosmer Andrews is off jury duty this week and at home.

Wise Counsel From the South.
 "I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame back and kidney trouble," says J. H. Blankenship, of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles I was completely cured; so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under guarantee at D. G. Look's drug store. Price 50c.

EAST LOWELL.
 Mrs. Alfred Evans of Stanton has been visiting her brothers, G. G. and I. B. Jones.

Wm. Lingolfeiter of Lake Odessa visited at the home of John Cary Wednesday.
 Mrs. George Blake attended the funeral of little Elliot, only son of Mrs. Donly of Ironwood, which was held at Saranac last Thursday. Burial also took place there.
 Mrs. Seymour Coles has been taken much worse.
 Jay Parsons and wife were taken suddenly ill one day last week, the trouble being caused by poisoned food, according to the verdict of the attending physician.
 Mrs. Delos VanDuesen of Grand Rapids was called here Friday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Cyrus Story, who died Saturday evening at the home of her son, M. T. Story.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Alexander of Lowell spent Sunday at the home of J. of N. Hubbel.

That's the house the doctor built
 The biggest house you see;
 Thank goodness he don't get our money,
 For we take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. D. G. LOOK.

ALTO.
 Leander Cline is "laid up" with the rheumatism.
 The sick people in this community are all improving slowly.
 The Methodist Ladies' Aid society served dinner and supper in the Grange dining-room Friday. Proceeds were \$11.76.
 John Cuddihy's house burned to the ground last Wednesday night. He and his family have the sympathy of many friends.
 Mrs. John Laver was at Lowell Saturday.
 The Farmers' Institute held here Saturday was well attended and was successful in every way—excellent speaking, good singing and a fine program in general.

Possesses wonderful medicinal power over the human body, removing all disorders from your system, is what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Makes you well, keeps you well. 35 cents, Tea or tablets. D. G. LOOK.

FALLSBURG.
 John Hapeman of Alton visited at David Garfield's last Friday.
 Arthur Parker was home from Lowell to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parker.
 Max Denny was called to Lyons last week on account of the illness of his brother, who is not expected to live, having had a stroke of paralysis.
 A. V. Wright of South Lowell was in the burg last week and purchased a cow of J. Tower.
 Frank Raymond and wife are visiting in Coral this week.
 Mrs. Ellen Colvin is much improved from her recent illness.
 Lottie Parker, Tillie Bieri and her brother attended Keene church Sunday.

PARNELL.
 Miss Lena Malone is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Hanna, in Grand Rapids.—Miss Rena Jackson of Grand Rapids is visiting friends and relatives here.—George Hurly spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Grand Rapids.—Born—to John Malone and wife, Sunday, Jan. 8th, son.—Frank Doyle, who has been ill for some time with inflammatory rheumatism, is slowly recovering.—Miss Mary Driscoll called on Jane Corrigan Friday.—Mrs. L. Doran is visiting her sister, Mrs. John McCabe, at Ada.

Special Sale On Black Mercerized Skirts

Just what you are looking for, the Celebrated Al-Ain Petticoats, fits just like a Dress Skirt. All made with a yoke 14 stitches to the inch. Big reduction in the price.

Furs Sacrificed.

We mean it. Every word. The Stock has been carefully gone through. Every article of fur has been reduced in price. A few fine Fur Jackets will close out very cheap. Come and get prices.

BIG REDUCTIONS

In Cloaks, both in Ladies and Children. Dont delay too long as your size may be gone.

E. R COLLAR.

CANNONSBURG.
 A series of meetings are being held at the M. E. church.—Mrs. Jesse Virgin (nee Winnie Patrick) returned to her home at Willsboro, Pa., last Thursday.—Mr. Osgood and family have moved onto the Hong farm. They were formerly of Snyrna.—Mrs. Tommy Giller of Grattan Center, who recently bought of Charley Tuxbury 60 acres of land, will locate on same in the near future.—John Murray

RHEUMATISM
BADLY CRIPPLES A BALDWINVILLE FARMER
URIC-O QUICKLY CURED HIM

Mr. Frank Howe, a prominent farmer of the Town of Van Buren, says:—"During a siege of the most painful form of Rheumatism, which lasted two years, I did everything that was possible with the aid of money to find relief. I spent several hundred dollars, and seemed to grow worse instead of better each day. Being on crutches and forced to drive to the train and then hobbling to the doctor's office, became very discouraging, let alone the sleepless nights and fearful hours of pain. Being advised by a friend to try Urlic-O, I purchased a bottle and began its use as directed. In less than 24 hours these fearful sciatic pains left me, my blood seemed to let loose and flow freely, I felt different, and knew at once that I had found a cure, as I slept and rested all that night, something I had not done before in two years. I used in all six bottles of Urlic-O, and can truthfully say that I have never felt a return of the disease, and have had no use for crutches or cane since the first day's treatment. I invite all Rheumatics to write me and learn further truth concerning this wonderful remedy."
 [Signed] FRANK HOWE.
 BALDWINVILLE, N. Y., E. F. D.
 Smith's Specific Urlic-O can be obtained from Druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Samples and circulars will be cheerfully sent free by addressing the SMITH DRUG COMPANY, SYRACUSE, N. Y.
 Urlic-O is sold and recommended in Lowell, Mich. by D. G. LOOK

sold a yearling colt to John Farrell of Ada Monday.—Earl Elkins recently purchased a horse of J. L. Thomas.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of West Cannon lost their baby Jan. 15th, aged two months. They have the sympathy of many friends in this vicinity.

ADA.
 Francis Clark was home over Sunday.—Melvin Heaton is on the sick list.—Mrs. Carrie Lewis is confined to her house with a bad cold.—Evangelist C. E. Davis and wife will begin revival meetings in the Whitneyville church in the near future.—Mrs. Will Holmes fell down the cellar steps yesterday and was badly hurt.

For any disease of the skin we can recommend Chamberlain's Salve. It relieves the itching and burning sensation instantly and soon effects a cure. This salve is also invaluable for sore nipples. M. N. HENRY

THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT.
 [Corrected Jan. 16 1907.]

| GRAIN. | |
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| Wheat..... | 70c |
| Oats..... | 55 |
| Corn..... | 44 |
| Rye..... | 40 |
| Buckwheat..... | 60 |
| FEED | |
| Corn and oats per ton..... | \$22 00 |
| Bran per ton..... | 22 00 |
| Middlings per ton..... | 24 00 |
| Corn Meal per ton..... | 20 00 |
| PRODUCE | |
| Flour per cwt..... | 2 20 |
| Eggs..... | 22 |
| Butter lb..... | 20@22 |
| Lard..... | 10@12 |
| Wool..... | 27@31 |
| Beans hand picked..... | 80@85 |
| Potatoes..... | 20@ 25 |
| Clover..... | 8 50 |
| Alsyke..... | 8 50@9 50 |
| Timothy..... | 2 00@2 25 |
| MEATS | |
| Beef, live weight, per cwt..... | \$2 50@3 50 |
| Beef dressed..... | 6 00@7 00 |
| Veal dressed..... | 7 50@8 00 |
| Sheep live weight..... | \$4 00@5 00 |
| Lamb live weight..... | 6 50@7 00 |
| Calves live..... | 5 00 |
| Pork alive..... | 6 00 |
| Pork dressed..... | 7 75 |

JANUARY 18, 1907. PHIN SMITH, LOWELL, MICH. FEBRUARY 16, 1907

Starting
January 18,
1907

SMITH'S SENSATIONAL SHOE SALE

Ending
February 16,
1907

Having purchased another Shoe Stock at 50 cents on the dollar. We have moved it in with our already Enormous Stock and for 4 weeks we offer our entire stock at greatly reduced prices. Our Stock, at present, consists of up to date, reliable goods made by reliable firms, such as: The Walk Over Shoe Co., W. L. Douglas, Selz Royal Blue Co., Mayer Shoe Co., John Kelly Inc., Drew Selby & Co., Sherwood Shoe Co., Pontiac Shoe Co. and such well and favorably known firms.

Lambertville "Snag Proof" and Mishawka "Ball Band" Rubbers.
ALL HEAVY SHOES MARKED DOWN. DO NOT ASK US TO CHARGE THEM.

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Our Country Cousins

Beading.
at the Banner, Jan. 10.
at week the cigar factory of les H. Stout, that has gained a record in this vicinity as the user of the famous Derby cigar, ged hands Mr. Stout disposing s stock and good will to Ed. enter, who recently moved here his farm.

or some time the Baptist people been keeping a lookout for a e and lot that would make a eulent parsonage. Recently the ed and sought for materialled last week the church bought the e Sheldon property on the corner ousness and Harrison streets. eers Wright, Prall & Huntley are hing the work of construction of new factory of the Ballou Mig. npany as rapidly as their force of n can push it. The building has eed the first story and the work the second story is being rushed rapidly as the present cold snap l permit.

Mrs. Ida Vanderlip made a business p to Lowell Monday.

Mrs. Alice Brown returned Tuesday in a visit at the home of her son, rl, in Lowell.

W. D. Ballou left Monday for Chic to attend the national convention cement users and incidentally to hbit his cement mixer. The ex- it is under the care of F. C. Jen- ns of Lowell and A. L. Marvin of and Rapids.

Caledonia.
on the News, Jan. 10.
len and Lloyd Hunzberger are ing a special course at the Ag- icultural college at Lansing.

Miss Charity Rice, returned to dan, Minn., after spending the idays with her parents.

George Gelli received a telegram, eaday, from Ellingwood, Ont., an-

SOUTH BOSTON MOURNS

The Loss of Two Old Residents, Mesdames Story and Burr.

Mrs. Callista Story died Saturday evening, Jan. 12th., at the home of her son, Matthew Story, in South Boston, where she had been staying during her illness. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock at the South Boston M. E. church, conducted by Rev. A. B. Johnson of Saranac, and burial took place in South Boston cemetery.

Deceased was born March 8, 1827, at Port Byron, Wayne county, N. Y. At the age of twenty-one she was married to Cyrus Story, and they came to Michigan in the Spring of 1861, settling on the farm in South Boston where she has ever since resided. Her husband preceded her to the better world seven years ago. Mrs. Story leaves one daughter, Mrs. Jane A. VanDeusen, of Grand Rapids, and one son, M. T. Story, of South Boston.

Funeral services of Mrs. A. P. Burr, who died last Wednesday, Jan. 9th., were held Saturday morning at eleven o'clock at the South Boston Congregational church, of which she was a member, Rev. Baker officiating, and interment was made in South Boston cemetery.

Mrs. Burr was born in New York in 1849, and has been a resident of South Boston thirty six years. She leaves her husband, four brothers, three sisters and the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Fred Joslin, Mrs. Dell Greulx and Miss Bessie Burr of Big Rapids, Mrs. Mary Pratt of Nashville, Miss June Burr of Rodney, Art Burr of Grand Rapids, and Chas. Burr and Mrs. F. P. Hakes of Lowell.

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CINCINNATI PEOPLE EXCITED

The Great Cooper as he is Called Has Stirred up That City to a Remarkable Degree.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 16. This city is at present in the midst of an excitement beyond anything that it experienced in recent years.

Old and young, rich and poor, all seem to have become beside themselves over an individual who was a stranger to Cincinnati up to two weeks ago.

The man who has created all this turmoil is L. T. Cooper, president of the Cooper Medicine Co., of Dayton, Ohio, who is at present introducing his preparations in this city for the first time.

Cooper is a man about thirty years of age and has acquired a fortune within the past two years by the sale of some preparations of which he is the owner.

Reports from eastern cities that preceded the young man here were of the most startling nature. Many of the leading dailies going so far as to state that he had nightly cured in public places deafness of years' standing with one of his preparations. The physicians of the East contradicted this statement, claiming the thing to be impossible but the facts seemed to bear out this statement that Cooper actually did so.

In consequence people flocked to him by thousands and his preparations sold like wildfire.

Many of these stories were regarded as fictitious in Cincinnati and until Cooper actually reached this city little attention was paid to them. Hardly had the young man arrived, however,

when he began giving demonstrations, as he calls them, in public, and daily met people afflicted with deafness and with a single application of one of his preparations actually made deaf people hear again.

In addition to this work Cooper advanced the theory that stomach trouble is the foundation of nine out of ten diseases and claimed to have a preparation that would restore the stomach to working order and thus get rid of such troubles as rheumatism and affections of the kidneys and liver in about two weeks time.

This statement seems to have been borne out by the remarkable results obtained through the use of his preparation, and now all Cincinnati apparently made over the young man.

His headquarters resemble a veritable stampede. Thousands of people are visiting him each day, and the druggists are selling his medicines in enormous quantities.

What seems to make Cooper still more popular is the fact that he practices extensive charitable work and has already dispensed a small fortune among the poor of the city.

How long the tremendous interest in Cooper will last is hard to estimate. At present there seems to be no sign of a let-up. Reputable physicians claim it to be a fact that will die out as soon as Cooper leaves.

In justice to him, however, it must be said that he seems to have accomplished a great deal for the sick of this city with his preparations.

WOLVERINES PICNIC

Former Michiganders Plan Great Reunion for Jan. 26 in California.

From the Pasadena, Cal., News. On Saturday, January 26, the former Michigan people residing in Southern California will hold their great annual picnic at East Lake Park, Los Angeles. Of the many holidays and fete days, none are looked forward to with keener anticipation by the Michiganders of this section than this annual gathering and the coming one promises to be a bigger success than ever.

Arrangements are already being made for the picnic and the plans that are gradually being perfected indicate an immense gathering of Wolverines on the date mentioned. On several occasions during the past six weeks the officers of the Michigan Society of Southern California have come together to talk the coming event over and lay plans for it.

"We are going to have the grandest time and the greatest gathering of the kind ever held in Southern California," said one of the officers today. The Michigan Society was organized two years ago. The membership roll has increased wonderfully since that time and at the picnic a year ago the number signing the register was much greater than the officers had expected. January 26, Michigan admission day, has been selected as the date for holding the picnic and it has been decided to make it an annual affair. For the past two years the picnic has been held at East Lake Park.

This opportunity for meeting old friends and making acquaintances among those who came from the same state is warmly welcomed by all Michiganders. The reunion enables thousands of former Wolverines to meet each other who could not otherwise come together.

It gives the visiting Michigan people a chance to meet friends from all parts of their state many of whom they have not seen in years. It is, in short, a great family gathering of the sons and daughters of one of the grand old states. Those having the picnic in charge have extended a cordial welcome to all Michiganders, visiting or resident, to avail themselves of this privilege and to bring their families and friends.

Precautions have been taken against tricky weather and it is announced that if the weather prove too inclement on the day set the picnic will be postponed for one week. Those attending are instructed to

bring their luncheons. Coffee will be furnished to all who wear the Michigan badges.

Dr. A. J. Scott of No. 119 South Fremont avenue, Los Angeles, is president of the Society and Mrs. Arizona Garrison of No. 46 Giorletta street, this city, is the secretary.

How to Cure Chills.

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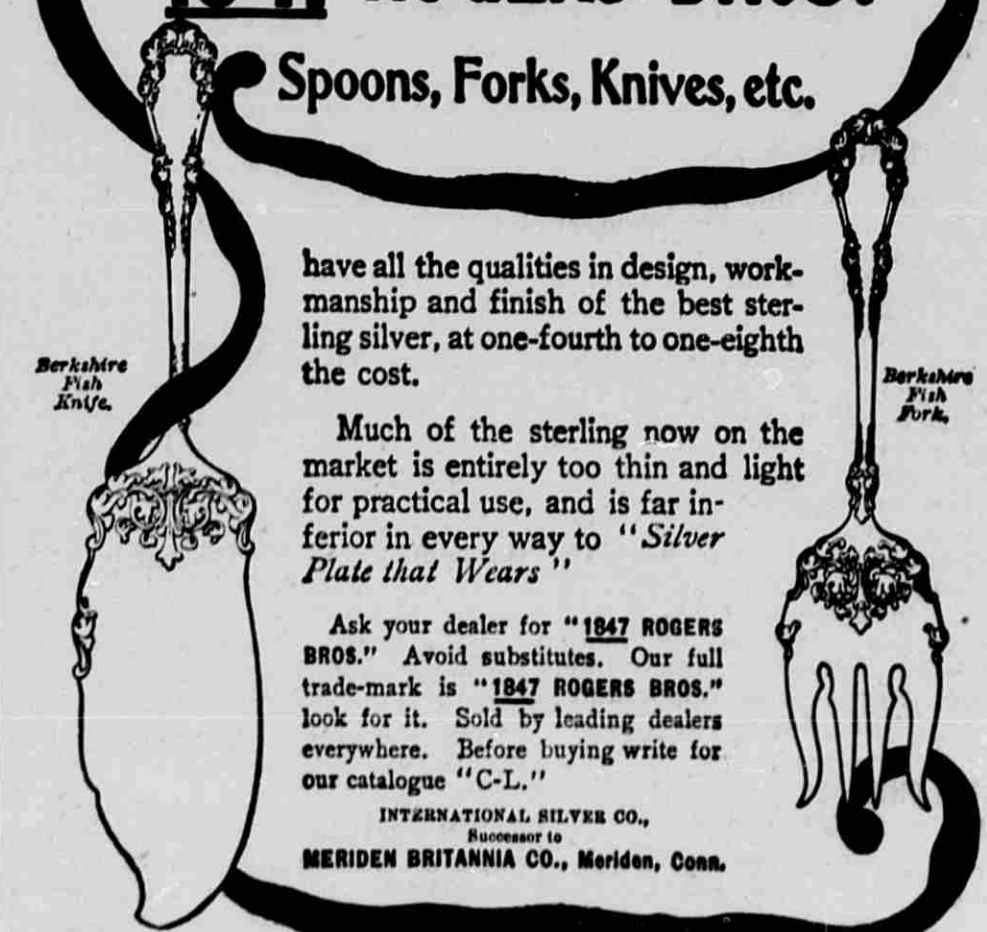
E. W. Wilson, living on Washington Street, N. West, Lowell, Mich., says: "Several years ago, I was taken with general kidney trouble. I had hard pains across the small of my back and in the loins making it hard for me to get around. The action of the kidney secretions was irregular, being too frequent and this would cause me to get up several times during the night, greatly disturbing my rest. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and decided to give them a trial. I felt relief almost immediately and steadily improved as I continued using the remedy. I had used only two boxes when all the pains left me and the actions of the secretions became natural and I was cured. I have not had any kidney trouble since."

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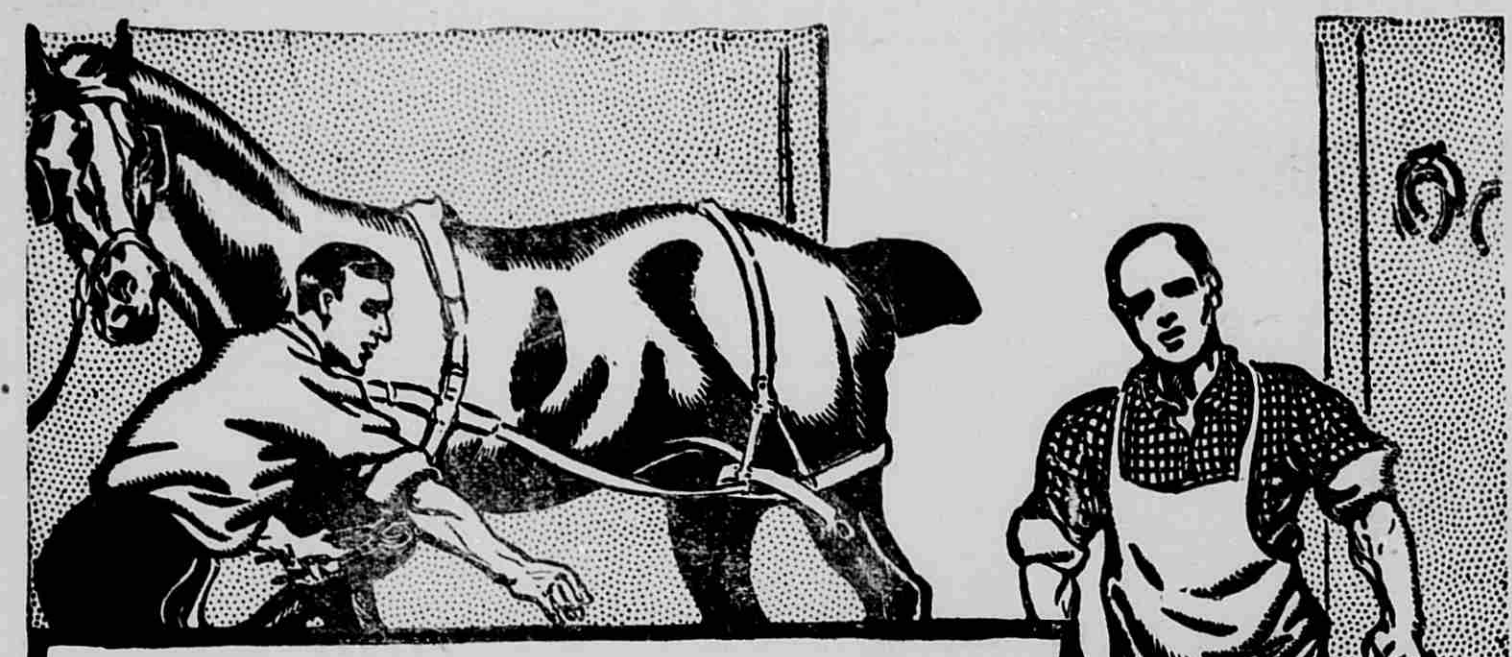


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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Culled from Exchanges for the Benefit of Our Many Readers.

Saranac.
From the Advertiser, Jan. 10
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Devell Vibber, an eight-pound daughter, Jan. 8.

Mrs. Claude Abbot and children of Hubbardston were called here Wednesday by the death of her little nephew.
Vern Stevens and Mrs. James Haskins of Matchwood arrived here Wednesday morning with the remains of their father, Abraham Stevens. Mr. Stevens left Matchwood New Year's day to go to the camp where he was working. He had about eight miles to walk and he must have been taken sick on the way, for he was found within half a mile of the camp on Sunday morning dead.

Married in Ionia, Monday afternoon by Justice H. C. Clark, George M. Glick and Miss Dora M. Fosburgh both of Saranac.

Notice To Creditors.
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent.
In the matter of the estate of Frederick J. Williams, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that four months after the 31st day of December, A. D. 1901, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all claims against 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 1st day of May, A. D. 1902, and that claims will be heard by said court on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated December 31 A. D. 1901.
HARRY D. JEWELL,
Judge of Probate.

Mortgage Sale.
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Real Estate Mortgage made by William E. Stevenson and Anna C. Stevenson his wife, of the township of Dexter, County of Washington, and state of Michigan, to William J. Knapp of the Village of Cheboygan, Washington County, Michigan, and which Mortgage is dated the 9th day of April, A. D. 1901 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent, and state of Michigan, on the 11th day of April 1901, in Liber 271 of mortgages, on pages 314 & 315.

It is expressly covenanted and agreed in said Mortgage by and between the parties thereto, that should any default be made in the payment of the interest or any part thereof, or of any installment of principal or any part thereof, on any day when the same is made payable, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for the space of thirty days, then, and from then forth, that it is to say, after the lapse of said thirty days, so much of the aforesaid principal sum of Fifteen hundred dollars as remains unpaid, with an arrearage of interest thereon, shall at the option of said party in the second part of his executors, administrators or assigns, or command and payable immediately therefor all the period above limited for the payment thereof may not have been expired, anything herein before in said note contained to the contrary hereof in anywise notwithstanding.

Default has been made in the payment of said principal and interest on said mortgage, and more than thirty days has elapsed since said default was made, and said mortgage is hereby declared due and payable.

The amount due on said mortgage at this date of principal and interest, is the sum of \$165.82, and a reasonable attorney fee as stipulated for in said mortgage, together with a legal costs.

No proceedings at Law or in Equity have been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof. NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, to the highest bidder on Friday the 18 day of January, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the North front door of the Kent County court house in the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, said Court house being the place where the Clerk's Court for the said county is held.

Said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of city lots and being in the City of Grand Rapids, in the County of Kent and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The West one fourth (W. 1/4) of the East half (E. 1/2) of the North east one fourth (N. E. 1/4) of the South West 1/4 of (S. W. 1/4) of Section Thirty two (32) Town Seven (7) North, Range Eleven (11) West.
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We will close out the balance of the stocks in the shortest possible time, since every day we continue in business means a loss, goods sold as we are selling them pay no profit and radical measures must be taken. Prices have been cut even deeper than those of the earlier days of the sale. Come and judge for yourself.

Men's Suits and Overcoats Less than Manufacturer's Prices. Buy your Winter Suit or Overcoat where you May Keep a Third of the Price.

Choose from over a thousand men's suits—half that number of overcoats—Kuppenheimer, H. S. & M. or K. N. & F.—and pay less than makers' prices. Our guarantee of goodness with every garment—the good styles that these makers excel in, the absolute certainty of all wool and proper making. Even if you won't need a suit until next Spring or an overcoat until next Winter it will pay you to buy now, as every garment in stock is marked for quick and absolute clearance.



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BROKEN LINES Popular styles that show gaps in their ranks we have marshalled together and marked near half price. They are all sizes but not in any one style. Men's Suits from \$4.50 to \$14.00. These suits were the \$7.50 to \$22.50 togs. Your size is in this lot and half the regular price to pay.

MEN'S OVERCOATS, \$7.00 to \$14.00, Regular \$12.50 to \$22.50 values. Men's overcoats, plain blacks, grays, brown and brown mixtures, good values at regular prices.

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Boys' and Youths' Overcoats.

Selling from 1.98 to 7.48. Regular prices 3.75 to 13.50. We have always had splendid success with this line of clothing for boys. No end to wear in these coats.

Mens' Pants.

Choice of about five hundred pairs. Good making—good serviceable stuff in every pair. Divided in two lots. One lot of mens' pants, regular value 1.50 to 3.50 to be closed out at from 1.18 to 2.48. One lot of mens' dress pants regular 4.00 to 7.50 to be closed out from 2.62 to 5.48.

Odd Pairs of Lace Curtains.

Some real and very great bargains including Irish point Arabian Battenburg patterns and various other patterns. Some of the best selling styles of the season. But one, two or three pairs of a kind. The values run this way:

One lot of fancy white cable net curtains, 1.50 values for 1.15
One lot of fancy white curtains regular 3.00 values for 1.60
One lot of Arabian Battenburg curtains regular 3.00 values for 2.10
One lot of Arabian curtains with plain centers, regular 4.00 values for only 2.98

A Great Sale of Linens.

Every January for years we've held a house-keepers sale of Linens of every description. This year the bargains are greater than ever before for we are closing out the stock.

TABLE LINEN—72 inch full bleached damask dotted patterns, regular 50c and 55c qualities while the lots at 37c.

72 inch half bleached damask dotted patterns with fancy border, 75c values this week only per yard 48c.

72 inch full bleached damask satin finish, fancy pattern, 75c and 85c values for per yard 59c.

72 inch full bleached damask, floral and dotted patterns, 1.00 and 1.25 qualities for per yard, 79c.

RED TABLE LINEN.

50c qualities - 38c per yard.
35c qualities - 23c per yard.
25c qualities - 16c per yard.

NAPKINS.

Handsome floral designs and fancy patterns.
2.25 values reduced to, per doz. 1.69
3.50 values reduced to, per doz. 2.60
4.50 values reduced to, per doz. 3.30

LINEN TOWELS

Fringed or hemstitched, some with drawn work designs size 22x44.

75c qualities for - 42c.
50c qualities at - 35c.

DRESSER SCARFS.

Dozens of floral designs, big and small, hemstitched, 52 inches long.
1.25c values at - 87c.
72 inches long, 1.50 values at 92c.

TRAY CLOTHS—Hemstitched, floral designs, regular 60c values 35c.

LUNCH CLOTHS—34x34 with plain edge, floral and dotted designs 1.00 values for 69c.

We are Thankful for the Many Expressions of Good Will that we have had Tendered This Firm since the Sale Began.

We also wish to thank our customers for overlooking whatever inconvenience which must unavoidably arise during such a sale as has been under way at this store. We are planning greater bargains for you as a part recompense for your faith in this store and your good nature, greater bargains for this week and this month. It will certainly pay you to buy whatever you need here. You are welcome to look or to buy.

A Word About the Future Service in this Sale.

Let us not misunderstand each other. The offering for the coming week will be the best in the way of bargains that we have ever made. The values can not be surpassed and we think they can not be equalled. The bargains will go to be sure, fairly melt away. But the bargains announced for the week's selling are plenty large enough for any reasonable demand. But on some items the response at times is unexpectedly heavy; and we are sold out in less time than we figured. We have tried to gauge our trade's requirement as closely as possible; but we can not guarantee that any line of goods will last the entire week. We say this because we would rather you did not come at all than have you come and have you disappointed.

The Last of the Shirt Waists.

Women who know what these bargains mean will not need to read farther—For women who have not attended the sale we will say—the lot includes plaid worsted waists, fancy mohair waists, half wool and wool batiste waists and taffeta silk waists. The balance of the lot, about twenty-five, should be sold this week.

EVERYTHING AT ONE HALF PRICE.

Fancy plaid waists, worsted \$2.00 values for \$1.00.
Fancy mohair waists, \$3.50 values for \$1.75.

Ribbons.

New, Desirable. You save the third of the price. Ribbons for girdles, ribbons for sashes, ribbons for every use that they will be needed for this season and the kinds that will be most in demand. It will pay every woman to buy liberally from this stock.

Regular 15c Taffeta assorted colors, 11c.

Regular 20c Taffeta ribbon assorted colors, 14c.

Regular 30c Taffeta ribbon assorted colors, 19c.

Regular 35c Satin Taffeta ribbons assorted colors 23c.

Mens' Furnishings.

SOME OF THE BEST BARGAINS YOU EVER SAW ARE MADE BY THE CLOSING OUT OF THIS STOCK.

NECKWEAR.

We are proud of it. You can be too. 19c to 38c worth 25c to 50c, four in hands, bow ties, ascots, that would be considered extra values at regular price.

SHIRTS.

But that is another story in itself. Wilson Bros. goods. Some good bargains. A line of white dress shirts unlaundered, all sizes, at 35c worth 50c.

Madras and Percale Shirts, plain and pleated bosoms. This line is complete, not a poor pattern in the lot. It will pay you to buy a half dozen at least. 87c gives you choice of the 1.25 line. 1.19 gives you choice of the 1.50 line. 1.38 gives you choice of the 2.00 line.

Silk and Mohair Shirts (negligee), with collars attached.

1.00 for those that sold for 1.50.
1.25 for those that sold for 2.25.
2.00 for those that sold for 3.00.

Boys' Fancy Dress Shirts, with cuffs attached or separate, 35c for choice of our splendid line that sold regularly for 50c and 75c.

FANCY HOSE.

Cotton. For men these are great bargains. Half price or near it. 17c and 35c a pair for the regular 25c and 50c kinds.

FANCY VESTS.

Man is limited as to what he should wear. When he is dressed up, his best wear suit looks very much like his every day wear suit. A fancy vest in a neat pattern makes a difference. Plain figure and fancy vestings, the cut, fit and style are just right.

1.18 for the regular 1.50 line.
1.38 for the regular 2.50 line.
1.87 for the regular 3.00 line.
3.25 for the regular 4.75 line.

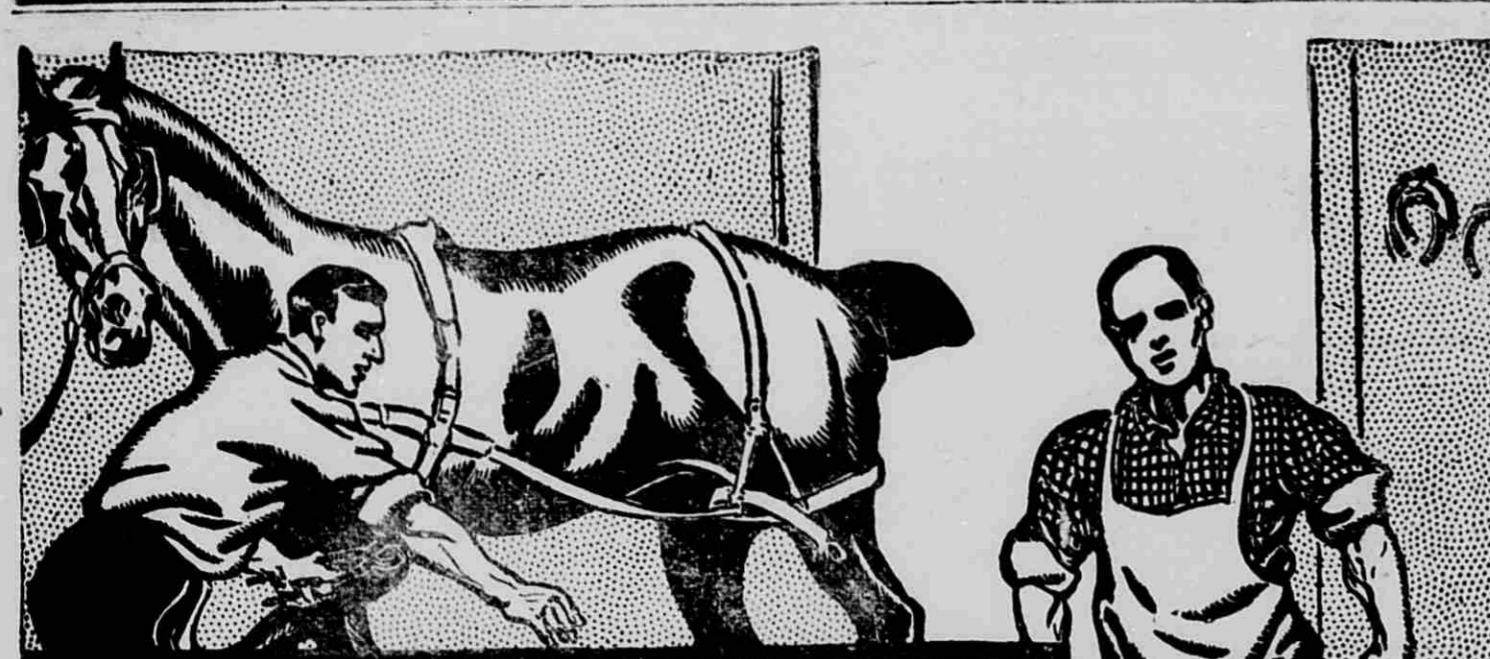
Remember it is our own good regular lines reduced to close out.

THE BARGAIN SENSATION

Of the Year beginning Saturday January 19th., for a single day only, in some cases for an hour only we offer the more than remarkable bargains. We cannot guarantee that any of the goods placed on sale on the dates mentioned will last the day out or the hour out. These are positively the greatest bargains you have ever known. To share the offering you must act quickly. The sale each day will not start until 10 a. m. an hour later than usual to give everybody that's interested a chance to be here.

| SATURDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| A good yard wide unbleached cotton for 5½c. A good yard wide bleached cotton for only 6c. Remember this is for this one day only. | For one hour only commencing at 10 a. m. we will sell one lot of good prints for 3½c. Monday for one hour only beginning at 3 p. m. we will sell one lot of good prints for 3½c. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m. we will sell one lot of mens' blue and white work shirts for 29c. Anything that is left in our ladies muslin or gauze underwear at ½ Price. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m. we will sell one lot of good A-No. 1 equity gingham for 5c per yard. One lot of good anchor gingham for 6c per yard. One lot of good Everett gingham for 6c per yard. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m., we will sell one lot of fancy red and white and green and white curtain material 25c. value for 15c. per yd. One lot of yard wide madras curtain cloth for 19c. One lot of yard wide scrim for 45c per yard. One lot of 52 inch wide madras curtain cloth regular 65c goods for 45c per yard. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m., we will sell one lot (assorted patterns) Natsuki cloth for Klionas and Dressing Sacques, regular 25c. values for 15c. per yd. Fancy Serge one of the most popular suitings for Spring, regular 18c. values for 12c. per yard. |

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CINCINNATI PEOPLE EXCITED

The Great Cooper as he is Called Has Stirred up That City to a Remarkable Degree.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 16. This city is at present in the midst of an excitement beyond anything that it experienced in recent years.

Old and young, rich and poor, all seem to have become beside themselves over an individual who was a stranger to Cincinnati up to two weeks ago.

The man who has created all this turmoil is L. T. Cooper, president of the Cooper Medicine Co., of Dayton, Ohio, who is at present introducing his preparations in this city for the first time.

Cooper is a man about thirty years of age and has acquired a fortune within the past two years by the sale of some preparations of which he is the owner.

Reports from eastern cities that preceded the young man here were of the most startling nature. Many of the leading dailies going so far as to state that he had nightly cured in public places deafness of years' standing with one of his preparations. The physicians of the East contradicted this statement, claiming the thing to be impossible but the facts seemed to bear out this statement that Cooper actually did so.

In consequence people flocked to him by thousands and his preparations sold like wildfire.

Many of these stories were regarded as fictitious in Cincinnati and until Cooper actually reached this city little attention was paid to them. Hardly had the young man arrived, however,

when he began giving demonstrations, as he calls them, in public, and daily met people afflicted with deafness and with a single application of one of his preparations actually made deaf people hear again.

In addition to this work Cooper advanced the theory that stomach trouble is the foundation of nine out of ten diseases and claimed to have a preparation that would restore the stomach to working order and thus get rid of such troubles as rheumatism and affections of the kidneys and liver in about two weeks time.

This statement seems to have been borne out by the remarkable results obtained through the use of his preparation, and now all Cincinnati is apparently mad over the young man.

His headquarters resemble a veritable stampede. Thousands of people are visiting him each day, and the druggists are selling his medicines in enormous quantities.

What seems to make Cooper still more popular is the fact that he practices extensive charitable work and has already dispensed a small fortune among the poor of the city.

How long the tremendous interest in Cooper will last is hard to estimate. At present there seems to be no sign of a let-up. Reputable physicians claim it to be a fact that will die out as soon as Cooper leaves.

In justice to him, however, it must be said that he seems to have accomplished a great deal for the sick of this city with his preparations.

WOLVERINES PICNIC

Former Michiganders Plan Great Reunion for Jan. 26 in California.

From the Pasadena, Cal., News. On Saturday, January 26, the former Michigan people residing in Southern California will hold their great annual picnic at East Lake Park, Los Angeles. Of the many holidays and fete days, none are looked forward to with keener anticipation by the Michiganders of this section than this annual gathering and the coming one promises to be a bigger success than ever.

Arrangements are already being made for the picnic and the plans that are gradually being perfected indicate an immense gathering of Wolverines on the date mentioned.

On several occasions during the past six weeks the officers of the Michigan Society of Southern California have come together to talk the coming event over and lay plans for it.

"We are going to have the grandest time and the greatest gathering of the kind ever held in Southern California," said one of the officers today.

The Michigan Society was organized two years ago. The membership roll has increased wonderfully since that time and at the picnic a year ago the number signing the register was much greater than the officers had expected.

January 26, Michigan admission day, has been selected as the date for holding the picnic and it has been decided to make it an annual affair. For the past two years the picnic has been held at East Lake Park.

This opportunity for meeting old friends and making acquaintances among those who came from the same state is warmly welcomed by all Michiganders. The reunion enables thousands of former Wolverines to meet each other who could not otherwise come together.

It gives the visiting Michigan people a chance to meet friends from all parts of their state many of whom they have not seen in years. It is, in short, a great family gathering of the sons and daughters of one of the grand old states. Those having the picnic in charge have extended a cordial welcome to all Michiganders, visiting or resident, to avail themselves of this privilege and to bring their families and friends.

Precautions have been taken against tricky weather and it is announced that if the weather prove too inclement on the day set the picnic will be postponed for one week.

Those attending are instructed to

bring their luncheons. Coffee will be furnished to all who wear the Michigan badges.

Dr. A. J. Scott of No. 119 South Fremont avenue, Los Angeles, is president of the Society and Mrs. Arizona Garrison of No. 48 Glorietta street, this city, is the secretary.

How to Cure Chills.

"To enjoy freedom from chills," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed to cure fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25c at D. G. Look's drug store.

Hidden Dangers.

Nature Gives Timely Warnings That No Lowell Citizen Can Afford to Ignore.

DANGER SIGNAL NO. 1 comes from the kidney secretions. They will warn you when the kidneys are sick. Well kidneys send out a clear, amber fluid. Sick kidneys send out a thin, red ill smelling urine, full of sediment and irregular of passage.

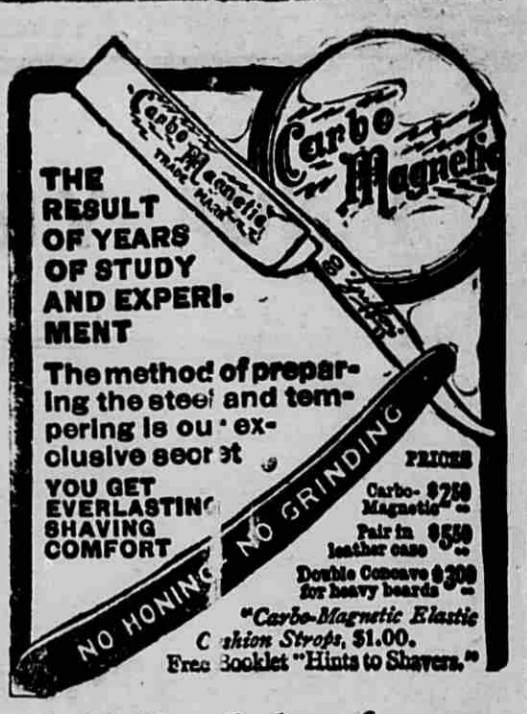
DANGER SIGNAL NO. 2 comes from the back. Back pains, dull and heavy, or sharp and acute, tell you of sick kidneys and warn you of the approach of dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently. Here's Lowell proof:

E. W. Wilson, living on Washington Street, N. West, Lowell, Mich., says: "Several years ago, I was taken with general kidney trouble. I had hard pains across the small of my back and in the loins making it hard for me to get around. The action of the kidney secretions was irregular, being too frequent and this would cause me to get up several times during the night, greatly disturbing my rest. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and decided to give them a trial. I felt relief almost immediately and steadily improved as I continued using the remedy. I had used only two boxes when all the pains left me and the actions of the secretions became natural and I was cured. I have not had any kidney trouble since."

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Culled from Exchanges for the Benefit of Our Many Readers.

Saranac. From the Advertiser, Jan. 10. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Devell Vibber, an eight-pound daughter, Jan 8.

Mrs. Claude Abbot and children of Hubbardston were called here Wednesday by the death of her little nephew.

Vern Stevens and Mrs. James Has kins of Matchwood arrived here Wednesday morning with the remains of their father, Abraham Stevens. Mr. Stevens left Matchwood New Years day to go to the camp where he was working. He had about eight miles to walk and he must have been taken sick on the way, for he was found within half a mile of the camp on Sunday morning dead.

Married, in Ionia, Monday afternoon by Justice H. C. Clark, George M. Glick and Miss Dora M. Fosburgh both of Saranac.

Notice To Creditors. State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick J. Williams, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that four months from the 31st day of December A. D. 1906, 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 1st day of May, A. D. 1907, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 31 A. D. 1906. HARRY D. JEWELL, Judge of Probate.

Mortgage Sale. Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Real Estate Mortgage made by William E. Stevens and A. J. Stevens, his wife, of the township of Dexter, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, to William J. Knapp of the Village of Chelsea, Washenaw County, Michigan, and which mortgage is dated the 9th day of April, A. D. 1901 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent, and State of Michigan, on the 11th day of April, 1901, in Liber 21 of mortgages, on pages 314 & 315.

It is expressly covenanted and agreed in said mortgage by and between the parties thereto, that should any default be made in the payment of the interest or any part thereof, or of any installment of principal or any part thereof, on any day when the same is made payable, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrears for the space of thirty days, then, and from then forth, that is to say, after the lapse of said thirty days, so much of the aforesaid principal sum of Fifteen hundred dollars as remains unpaid, with an arrangement of interest thereon, shall at the option of said party of the second part his executors, administrators or assigns, become due and payable to the said party of the first part, or to any assignee of his, for all the period above limited for the payment thereof may not then have expired, anything herein before or in said note contained to the contrary hereof in anywise notwithstanding.

Default has been made in the payment of said principal and interest on said mortgage, and more than thirty days has elapsed since said default was made, and said mortgage is here by declared due and payable.

The amount due on said mortgage at this date, of principal and interest, is the sum of \$1618.22, and a reasonable attorney fee as stipulated for in said mortgage, together with a legal cost.

No proceedings at Law or in Equity have been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof, and the space of thirty days has expired by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, to the highest bidder, on Friday the 15 day of January, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the North front door of the County Court house in the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, said County Court house being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held.

Said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the City of Grand Rapids, in the County of Kent and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The West one fourth (W. 1/4) of the East half (E. 1/2) of the North east one fourth (N. E. 1/4) of the South West quarter (S. W. 1/4) of Section Thirty two (32) Town Seven (7) North, Range Eleven (11) West.

Dated October 19th, 1906. WILLIAM J. KNAPP, Mortgagee. SIVERS & HARRIS, Attorneys for Mortgagee.

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MEN'S OVERCOATS, \$7.00 to \$14.00, Regular \$12.50 to \$22.50 values. Men's overcoats, plain blacks, grays, brown and brown mixtures, good values at regular prices.

Boys' and Youths' Overcoats.

Selling from 1.98 to 7.48. Regular prices 3.75 to 13.50. We have always had splendid success with this line of clothing for boys. No end to wear in these coats.

Mens' Pants.

Choice of about five hundred pairs. Good making—good serviceable stuff in every pair. Divided in two lots. One lot of mens' pants, regular value 1.50 to 3.50 to be closed out from 1.18 to 2.48. One lot of mens' dress pants regular 4.00 to 7.50 to be closed out from 2.62 to 5.48.

Odd Pairs of Lace Curtains.

Some real and very great bargains including Irish point Arabian Battenburg patterns and various other patterns. Some of the best selling styles of the season. But one, two or three pairs of a kind. The values run this way:

One lot of fancy white cable net curtains, 1.50 values for 1.15
One lot of fancy white curtains regular 3.00 values for 1.60
One lot of Arabian Battenburg curtains regular 3.00 values for 2.10
One lot of Arabian curtains with plain centers, regular 4.00 values for only 2.98

A Great Sale of Linens.

Every January for years we've held a house-keepers sale of Linens of every description. This year the bargains are greater than ever before for we are closing out the stock.

TABLE LINEN—72 inch full bleached damask dotted patterns, regular 50c and 55c qualities while the lots at 37c.

72 inch half bleached damask dotted patterns with fancy border, 75c values this week only per yard 48c.

72 inch full bleached damask satin finish, fancy pattern, 75c and 85c values for per yard 59c.

72 inch full bleached damask, floral and dotted patterns, 1.00 and 1.25 qualities for per yard, 79c.

RED TABLE LINEN.

50c qualities - 38c per yard.
35c qualities - 23c per yard.
25c qualities - 16c per yard.

NAPKINS. Handsome floral designs and fancy patterns.
2.25 values reduced to, per doz. 1.69
3.50 values reduced to, per doz. 2.60
4.50 values reduced to, per doz. 3.30

LINEN TOWELS

Fringed or hemstitched, some with drawn work designs size 22x44.

75c qualities for - 42c.
50c qualities at - 35c.

DRESSER SCARFS.

Dozens of floral designs, big and small, hemstitched, 52 inches long.
1.25c values at - 87c.
72 inches long, 1.50 values at 92c.

TRAY CLOTHS—Hemstitched, floral designs, regular 60c values 35c.

LUNCH CLOTHS—34x34 with plain edge, floral and dotted designs 1.00 values for 69c.

We are Thankful for the Many Expressions of Good Will that we have had Tendered This Firm since the Sale Began.

We also wish to thank our customers for overlooking whatever inconvenience which must unavoidably arise during such a sale as has been under way at this store. We are planning greater bargains for you as a part recompense for your faith in this store and your good nature, greater bargains for this week and this month. It will certainly pay you to buy whatever you need here. You are welcome to look or to buy.

A Word About the Future Service in this Sale.

Let us not misunderstand each other. The offering for the coming week will be the best in the way of bargains that we have ever made. The values can not be surpassed and we think they can not be equalled. The bargains will go to be sure, fairly melt away. But the bargains announced for the week's selling are plenty large enough for any reasonable demand. But on some items the response at times is unexpectedly heavy; and we are sold out in less time than we figured. We have tried to gauge our trade's requirement as closely as possible; but we can not guarantee that any line of goods will last the entire week. We say this because we would rather you did not come at all than have you come and have you disappointed.

The Last of the Shirt Waists.

Women who know what these bargains mean will not need to read farther—For women who have not attended the sale we will say—the lot includes plaid worsteds waists, fancy mohair waists, half wool and wool batiste waists and taffeta silk waists. The balance of the lot, about twenty-five, should be sold this week.

EVERYTHING AT ONE HALF PRICE.

Fancy plaid waists, worsted \$2.00 values for \$1.00.
Fancy mohair waists, \$3.50 values for \$1.75.

Ribbons.

New, Desirable. You save the third of the price. Ribbons for girdles, ribbons for sashes, ribbons for every use that they will be needed for this season and the kinds that will be most in demand. It will pay every woman to buy liberally from this stock.

Regular 15c Taffeta assorted colors, 11c.

Regular 20c Taffeta ribbon assorted colors, 14c.

Regular 30c Taffeta ribbon assorted colors, 19c.

Regular 35c Satin Taffeta ribbons assorted colors 23c.

Mens' Furnishings.

SOME OF THE BEST BARGAINS YOU EVER SAW ARE MADE BY THE CLOSING OUT OF THIS STOCK.

NECKWEAR.

We are proud of it. You can be too. 19c to 38c worth 25c to 50c, four in hands, bow ties, ascots, that would be considered extra values at regular price.

SHIRTS.

But that is another story in itself. Wilson Bros. goods. Some good bargains. A line of white dress shirts unlaundered, all sizes, at 35c worth 50c.

Madras and Percale Shirts, plain and pleated bosoms. This line is complete, not a poor pattern in the lot. It will pay you to buy a half dozen at least. 87c gives you choice of the 1.25 line. 1.19 gives you choice of the 1.50 line. 1.38 gives you choice of the 2.00 line.

Silk and Mohair Shirts (negligee), with collars attached.

1.00 for those that sold for 1.50.
1.25 for those that sold for 2.25.
2.00 for those that sold for 3.00.

Boys' Fancy Dress Shirts, with cuffs attached or separate, 35c for choice of our splendid line that sold regularly for 50c and 75c.

FANCY HOSE.

Cotton. For men these are great bargains. Half price or near it. 17c and 35c a pair for the regular 25c and 50c kinds.

FANCY VESTS.

Man is limited as to what he should wear. When he is dressed up, his best wear suit looks very much like his every day wear suit. A fancy vest in a neat pattern makes a difference. Plain figure and fancy vestings, the cut, fit and style are just right.

1.18 for the regular 1.50 line.
1.38 for the regular 2.50 line.
1.87 for the regular 3.00 line.
3.25 for the regular 4.75 line.

Remember it is our own good regular lines reduced to close out.

THE BARGAIN SENSATION

Of the Year beginning Saturday January 19th., for a single day only, in some cases for an hour only we offer the more than remarkable bargains. We cannot guarantee that any of the goods placed on sale on the dates mentioned will last the day out or the hour out. These are positively the greatest bargains you have ever known. To share the offering you must act quickly. The sale each day will not start until 10 a. m. an hour later than usual to give everybody that's interested a chance to be here.

| SATURDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| A good yard wide unbleached cotton for 5½c. A good yard wide bleached cotton for only 6c. Remember this is for this one day only. | For one hour only commencing at 10 a. m. we will sell one lot of good prints for 3½c. Monday for one hour only beginning at 3 p. m. we will sell one lot of good prints for 3½c. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m. we will sell one lot of mens' blue and white work shirts for 28c. Anything that is left in our ladies muslin or gauze underwear at ½ Price. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m. we will sell one lot of good A-No. 1 equity gingham for 5c per yard. One lot of good anchor gingham for 6c per yard. One lot of good Everett gingham for 6c per yard. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m., we will sell one lot of fancy red and white and green and white curtain material 25c. value for 15c. per yd. One lot of yard wide madras curtain cloth for 19c. One lot of yard wide scrim for 45c per yard. One lot of 52 inch wide madras curtain cloth regular 65c goods for 47c per yard. | For one day only beginning at 10 a. m., we will sell one lot (assorted patterns) Natsuki cloth for Klionas and Dressing Sacques, regular 25c. values for 15c. per yd. Fancy Serge one of the most popular suitings for Spring, regular 18c. values for 12c. per yard. |

M. RUBEN, Lowell, Mich.

SERIAL STORY

DUKE OF DEVIL-MAY-CARE

By HARRIS DICKSON

Author of "The Black Wolf's Breed," Etc.

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CHAPTER XVII.—Continued.

"Yes," the other looked up suddenly from the table, "where did she go? I saw her drive off that morning in a carriage, and don't know whether she came back to the hotel or not. I searched everywhere. I have not seen her since—since this happened."

"She is at Mrs. Chaudron's with her cousin."

"Miss Ashton was taken ill, wasn't she?"

"Yes."

"I thought that must be the reason. She did not look well when they drove away." He dropped his head in his hands; after all it did not matter very much, not now; nothing mattered.

"Does she know where I am?" He did not raise his head.

"Yes, she was here just now; she saw you when you came into that room."

Duke tottered to his feet, leaning heavily with one hand on the table. "Why did she come to this place?"

"You would not give your name, and the police wanted to identify you. No, it wasn't exactly that way, but—"

"Anita! Come to identify me? My God!" he sank back into his chair again.

"Yes, both the girls are at the Chaudrons," Joe repeated, aimlessly. "Mrs. Chaudron took them home with her after Mrs. Ashton disappeared. Of course they couldn't stay at the hotel alone. They are completely crushed and heart-broken."

"Mrs. Ashton? Disappeared?" Duke looked up blankly. "What are you talking about? What are you talking about?"

"We've never found her, you know; we don't know a thing—"

"Don't know a thing about what?"

"Don't know what became of Mrs. Ashton. She's been missing now since last Thursday, about 11 o'clock. We have about come to the conclusion that she has been—"

Duke was staring at Joe, so steadily in the face, that Joe scarcely knew how he finished the sentence; "—we have come to the conclusion that she has been murdered—"

"So that's it! That's it!" Duke exclaimed, and sprang excitedly to his feet—the man's eyes were terrible to look at. "By God, Joe Balfour, you don't mean to tell me that I am here in jail under suspicion of murdering a woman—a woman? I thought those police were asking me a lot of fool questions—couldn't make out what they were driving at. That old porter said those hotel doors were not opened on Thursday night—did he? He's a liar, a leather-faced liar. And that other Frenchman, the one with the black mustache—he's a liar, too. They carried somebody away from that place about daylight the next morning. Let me out of here—let me get out. No, no, I forgot."

Joe caught him firmly by the arm and sat him down at the table again. Joe was now much more excited than the other man.

"Tell me, Noel, tell me! You say those doors were opened on Thursday night, that they carried somebody out of there the next morning? What do you know about it?"

"I saw it myself—stood right there and watched the whole thing. I walked up and down that street all night long. An ambulance from the hospital came there about daylight—men with uniforms on—yellow flag. They took somebody out of there on a stretcher. I don't know how, but I got the idea that it was a woman. Both of those lying hounds helped to lift the stretcher into the ambulance."

At the words "hospital," "stretcher," "yellow flag," Joe bounded to his feet. He stopped, listened to a few more sentences, then tore open the door and rushed like a madman through the corridor.

It was done so quickly that he got away before Duke could understand what had happened. When he ran out of the cell and reached the jailer's door he heard Joe's excited voice in the room.

"Look here, Mr. Fitzgerald, he says that some one was taken away from that hotel in an ambulance—"

Jimmy Fitz and the jailer were already on their feet, standing close together for protection—they had heard Joe coming. Baker tried to slip out through the door, but Joe blocked it, and the man took refuge behind a desk. Fitz and Baker and the jailer glanced uneasily at each other.

"Yes, Mr. Balfour—" Jimmy Fitz began.

"In a hospital ambulance on Friday morning—"

"Well, you see, Mr. Balfour, it was this way—"

"Those two Frenchmen helped to get a stretcher in the ambulance—"

"Yes, Mr. Balfour." Jimmy had now caught his breath; he spoke in the most conciliatory tone, spreading out his hands as if he were pointing

oil on the troubled waters. "Yes, Mr. Balfour, you see it was reported by a physician that Mrs. Ashton had the smallpox, and we wanted to keep it quiet until after Mardi Gras—"

Joe stopped, perfectly still, and stared at the officer. He could not comprehend.

Jimmy Fitz nodded, without a glimmer of surprise on his face. Joe looked at the jailer, at Baker—neither of them were surprised.

"Then, then," he commenced rather vaguely, but his voice began to rise; "then—you—knew—this—all—the—time? Then you were going to us and sending us off on all sorts of fool errands—keeping us amused like a lot of children?"

Jimmy Fitz smiled blandly. "Of course, Mr. Balfour, you appreciate the necessity for keeping it quiet—"

"For keep—ing quiet? For keep—ing quiet—"

"Yes, sir, you see it would not do—"

The storm burst. Joe furiously denounced the detectives, denounced the police, denounced their whole infernal system.

Once Jimmy's voice piped up, weak and apologetic: "But the board of health—"

"Damn your board of health, damn your Mardi Gras, damn you and all your pack of lies—"

Joe advanced farther and farther into the room until he drove the three men into a corner where they had to listen. He overwhelmed their explanations in a whirlwind of impetuous wrath.

Duke stood in the doorway, listening.

There was perhaps never another instance in his career when he failed to assume his full share of such an argument. But this discussion presented no openings; there were no precedents, no joints, no pauses for breath or punctuation. There was only one side to the argument, and Joe was taking good care of that. There were no gaps

The monotonous thump! thump! thump! of the horse's hoofs up that long street of never-ending asphalt seemed to beat in upon her brain and baffle it.

She wondered vaguely if men suffered when stricken with a mortal wound. Did a woman ever suffer? Could a woman suffer? Was it very queer that she should sit dumbly, with her hands folded? Was it so very selfish that she did not consider her aunt, that she thought of something else? Why did she not scream? Was it because she did not care?

On, on, on the street ran, past row after row of stupid-looking houses, their windows blinking at her in the sun. On, on it ran, far—farther than she could see—the boundaries of the world, into the narrow lane of eternity.

Houses and banquettes crept by on either side; a never-diminishing stream of human life crawled on—black-coated men lifted their shining hats to every simper in petticoats—how she hated them all!

Father of Mercy, would she never get home, never get beyond the reach of prying eyes? Would she never be able to close her own door, and be alone with herself—alone for one moment when she might let go. Anita felt that she was clinging tightly to something that she could not let go—of which she dared not let go. If she could only break down and weep. No, no, no, she could not do that. There would be Mrs. Chaudron and Alice—perhaps Felix Chaudron and Woodford Vance—they would ask her a thousand questions. How could she tell them? How could she stand it? Yet she must hold up her head and face it all. There was no hotel in all the city wherein she might hide.

Thump! thump! thump went the horse's hoofs; beat! beat! beating in upon her soul. The cab rolled on, and stopped at Mrs. Chaudron's.

Anita paid the man mechanically,

THE BURIED WILL

By IDA M. SHEPLER

The hypnotist holding forth for the last few nights in a Broadway hall had done wonderful things in the way of making the subjects of his power tell strange secrets in their own lives or that of some other person. Two persons had come forward that last night. Not of the will or wish of either. They came because the hypnotist, fixing his great, black eyes on their eyes, compelled their presence on the stage. Both were nurses. One a fair, sad faced girl, the other a bold, overdressed, middle-aged woman.

The professor first made passes over the girl's eyes. Presently she began to murmur, then to talk of her hard life, her weariness. Her parents were dead, sister and brother she had none, but there was a lover, a young physician, handicapped in his start for place by an old grandfather and a weakly mother to support. She could not marry her love at present.

The professor had known pitiful love, perhaps poverty. He quickly awakened her. He could not have her babbling in sleepy way of her sweet, love story.

The older woman had come upon the stage at his compelling gaze, but there was trouble in getting her sufficiently hypnotized that she would talk. She went off into convulsive contortions of gesture, but her lips remained so long tightly closed that the audience despaired and became uneasy, intimating loudly that this was meant show for the money invested to get into the hall. The professor nodded for quiet, and the woman began to speak.

"I'm a nurse by profession. I never married. I—I hate, no, no, I love him!" Her lips came to with a snap.

"No, you don't love him. You know you don't. Now tell this audience why you hate him; why he never married you. Such a handsome woman. Tell it your story," the professor coaxed in strangely insinuating tone.

"Yes," she spoke now clear and sharp, "I was beautiful. I am yet. Ugh! How I hated nursing. How I got hate it. I was going to marry such a rich old man that I had nursed when I first met the man I loved—that I yet—"

"No, you don't. You hate him. Go on!" compelled the professor, "for at the word love her tongue had faltered.

"That I hate, yes, that's it. He came for me to nurse his sickly wife. He had no money to pay me, but what did I care. She was soon to die. That I knew, and even before she died he made love to me. The wretch. He was a gambler. Down in his luck at that time, I found out. He was mostly down in his luck. When she died he promised to marry me soon. Did he? No. He put himself where I did not bear of him for five years. The old rich man that I was to marry had died, and not another so rich presented himself to my favor until five years after, and this time the man was younger than I and, half witted, surely. Going through a stupendous fortune as fast as ever foot went. I was getting ready for a share of it as his wife when a letter came from the man I—"

"Hate," put in the professor. "Yes, hate, telling me where to come. He wanted me immediately. He was living with his old cousin, Rhoda," he said; "such a rich woman. He was her nearest relative, he went on. She had raised her niece, but the niece, who was to heir all his Cousin Rhody's fortune, had disobeyed her, and ran away with some man her aunt despised. 'Cousin Rhody is not well,' he wrote. 'She needs a nurse. She has come to think that I am indispensable to her comfort. She has made a will in my favor. Remember, you come just as a hired nurse, and not as the woman I love, the woman who will be my wife when Cousin Rhody's fortune gets into my hands.'

"I left the man I was to marry. I went at the bidding of the other. I found Cousin Rhody a cross, frightened old woman. She was sick, though her cousin declared to her she was not, and forced me to tell her how well and young she looked, and that she was good for 25 years yet. She consulted all manner of doctors, took all manner of medicine, and I could see get worse all the time.

"At first she seemed to cling desperately to her cousin, but as the end approached she turned more to me, and would speak of her niece Marjory, and order that she be sent for; but her cousin saw to it that Marjory never received the messages.

"Then, at the last, she became distrustful of her cousin. She declared that Marjory had done right to marry the man she loved best. She confided to me that she had secretly sent for a lawyer to draw up a new will, and I must not let her cousin know of it, must get the lawyer into the house late at night. 'Yourself and the housekeeper can be witnesses,' she ordered.

"I did as she asked me to. Marjory was left the bulk of the fortune, and the cousin but a modest annuity. The old lady put the new will under her pillow, and gave me the old one to burn, she sitting up in bed watched me, as she supposed, burn it. I was prepared for this, quicker than she could see, I whipped a paper nearly like it from an apron pocket, and put the old will in its place.

"The next day I gave her cousin the will leaving him all. Time and again he had tried to get possession

of it. I held my secret. I would get possession of the other one yet. With it I would bring him to terms if he refused to marry me when she died.

"The end came sooner than I was led to expect. He had been with her for an hour before, and came to call me to take his place. I had wondered at her symptoms, but now for the first time I guessed. He had been slowly poisoning her, but getting tired of waiting had, during my absence, given her a larger dose. She knew that she was dying.

"Here," she gasped; "I trust you. Hide this will until my lawyer comes. I should have let him take it with him that night. Hide it!"

"The lawyer who had made Cousin Rhody's last will took it on himself to look out for that will. He would not take my word that at the very last Cousin Rhody ordered me to destroy that will, as I could prove by a housemaid. This maid was deaf and while she heard enough to know that Cousin Rhody had ordered one of the wills burned she was not quite sure which one it might be; but, under my direct look, faltered that it was the newest will.

"But the lawyer went at the matter in high handed manner. He put every room and drawer in the house under lock and key until a search was made for that will. He sent for a woman to not only search my room but myself for that missing will, which I carried in my bosom. I looked about for a hiding place for the will, but there was none. Quick as thought I stepped from a window to an outside balcony. The next window on this side the house opened into the room where they had laid its mistress. Before the woman or sheriff reached my room, I had, by means of these windows, unseen, gained access to where Cousin Rhody lay in her coffin. I tucked the will under her body, and when the sheriff and the woman brought to search me came into this room I was sitting calmly reading.

"Remembering that I had been sent by Cousin Rhody's heir to watch by her body, I went very quietly, though with some good show of indignation over the insult as I termed it, back to my own room by way of the doors now.

"It was several hours before the chance was given me to return to Cousin Rhody's room, and when I did so I found the coffin closed, and a funeral director in charge with orders to not again open it.

In vain I plead with the heir to allow it opened. He had given orders that it should not be. It was not policy I felt to tell him of the will. I would get it afterward. I knew she would be placed in the family vault. She had ordered that she was not to be buried in the ground. She feared interment. The will, I consoled myself, I could get at any time. There were two keys to the vault, and I had availed myself of one.

"But it was never to be. Knowing that Cousin Rhody's death would not bear investigation, and fearing that yet the question might be raised relative to how she died, the heir had the coffin placed in the stone niche prepared for it, and giving out that he feared ghouls might steal the body and ask a reward, he placed heavy charges of dynamite in and about the coffin. I did not know of this until too late.

"How he jeered when I told him where I had hidden Cousin Rhody's last will. How he scorned me when I threatened to tell the lawyer where I had hidden the will, and why Cousin Rhody had died. 'Who would believe me?' he said, 'and if they did, who could now get at Cousin Rhody Bronck's body to prove it? I was a fool.' He gave me some money, but he never married me. He is still living. He has become a miser of late. He holds all of Cousin Rhody's land intact. He has not squandered it. It is 20 years."

"Does the housekeeper and lawyer still live?" the professor hurriedly asked.

"Yes," came the murmuring reply.

But another was speaking now. It was the young nurse, clear and incisive:

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The hypnotized woman struggled back to a normal condition, wondering what she might have said.

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Rich Remembered at Oxford.

Edmund Rich is held in reverent remembrance at Oxford, where the one now remaining hall has borne his name since the middle of the thirteenth century, standing almost exactly on the actual site of the school where Rich himself delivered lectures in the year 1219



"GET ME A CAB"

where he could squeeze in a suggestion, no halt for mouth-filling, mind-relieving words.

At sea Noel Duke had made a dazzling reputation for his command of spectacular English suited to a sailor's comprehension. But now performance he listened in wide-eyed, tight-lipped admiration, as a rank amateur listens to a past-master of his art. There was never an instant when he felt that a syllable of his could add to the picturesque remarks of steady old Joe Balfour—easy-going Joe, who was noted for holding his temper and his tongue.

Jimmy Fitz, Baker and the jailer huddled closer in their corner; they wriggled and writhed, but did not contradict. And therein they displayed their eminent good sense.

When the tempest had lashed itself to tatters Joe reached into the huddle, caught Baker's arm and jerked him out. "Get me a cab—and get it quick."

Baker vanished through the door. Joe held his position between Jimmy Fitz and the hall, making a few observations that he had forgotten during the first eruption. Neither of the men replied; Joe was very sorry that they did not.

For several minutes Jimmy Fitz stood with his mouth open, as if waiting a chance to get in a word. Then he lifted his finger, and pointed: "Your cab is waiting, Mr. Balfour."

As Joe bolted out of the prison gates he caught Baker by the arm. "Get in that cab, quick!"

Baker had not expected this, but he got in; and Duke got in behind him.

"To the House of the Samaritan," Joe ordered the driver.

The cabman lashed his beast.

It was half-past 11 o'clock on Sunday morning.

CHAPTER XVII.

THROUGH THE CHURCH.

Anita, dry-eyed and silent, rode home in the cab alone.

and glanced up that interminable walk which led to the front door. Oh, if she only dared slip round the house and go into the conservatory where she could be alone.

She thought of a sheltered spot upon the mountain side at home, where she used to go and sit, where nobody came to ask her questions, where she could let go, let go. It was there she went in the evenings after her brother's death, and her father's. Evening after evening she sat gazing through the trees, past the winding roads and tiny creeks, across the flatwoods country to the far-lying ribbon of the James. There was silence in the mountains, there was companionship on the plains; God's peace was everywhere. The city stifled her, she could not breathe; she could not think.

Mrs. Chaudron tapped on the upper window and beckoned her to hurry.

"Yes, yes," Anita nodded. She must go into the house; she must tell Mrs. Chaudron something; she must hold up her head.

Celeste opened the front door. "Why, Miss Anita, are you ill? Let me bring a glass of wine—some water?"

"No, thank you, Celeste; you are very good."

Anita bore herself erect, yet she felt that she was staggering, feeling her way through the hall. She laid her hand upon the newel post; how could she ever get to the top of those terrible stairs? The girl halted, steadied herself for the effort, and—the telephone rang. The bell startled her; she dreaded to answer.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Agreeable Surprise.

"Hello, Smith!" exclaimed the near-sighted man. "I'm delighted to see you. By the way—"

"My name isn't Smith, sir," interrupted the other man. "It's Robinson."

"Then I'm still more delighted, Mr. Robinson. I—I owe Smith."—Chicago Tribune.

THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILROAD AND WESTERN CANADA.

Will Open Up Immense Area of Free Homestead Lands.

The railway facilities of Western Canada have been taxed to the uttermost in recent years to transfer the surplus grain crop to the eastern markets and the seaboard. The large influx of settlers and the additional area put under crop have added largely to the grain product, and notwithstanding the increased railway facilities that have been placed at the disposal of the public, the question of transportation has proved to be a serious one.

It will, therefore, be good news to everyone interested in Western Canada to know that an authoritative statement has been given out by C. M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, that that railway will do its share towards moving the crop of 1907 from Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba to tide water, and thus assist in removing a serious obstacle which has faced the settlers during recent years. Mr. Hays, who has just completed a trip from Portage la Prairie to Edmonton in a prairie schooner, a distance of 735 miles, which was covered in eighteen days, is enthusiastic about the country.

This will be gratifying to settlers in the Canadian West, even if Mr. Hays declines to be bound to a time limit with the exactitude of a stop-watch. The Grand Trunk Pacific road will be in a position to take part in the transportation of the crop of 1907, and that will be satisfactory to the settlers in that country when the harvest is garnered.

The wheat crop of 1906 in Western Canada was about 90,000,000 bushels, and, with the increased acreage which is confidently expected to be put under crop next year, it is safely calculated that fully 125,000,000 bushels will be harvested in 1907. The necessity for increased transportation facilities are, therefore, apparent, and the statement made by Mr. Hays will bring encouragement to the farmers of the Canadian West, new and old. The opening up of additional thousands of free homesteads is thus assured by the agent of the Canadian Government, whose address appears elsewhere.

Most people find fault with their neighbors in order to get even with neighbors who find fault with them.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROSLO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVES' signature is on each box. 25c.

And when a man bumps up against hard luck he always blames some other fellow for showing him.

To recover quickly from bilious attacks, sick-headache, indigestion or cold, take Garnfield Tea, the mild laxative. Guaranteed under the Pure Food Law.

Prefer Their Own Way.

Thousands of men do not know what is good for them, but you might as well remember that the majority of them do not want to be told.—John A. Howland.

SCALY ERUPTION ON BODY.

Doctors and Remedies Fruitless—Suffered 10 Years—Completely Cured by Cuticura.

"When I was about nine years old small sores appeared on each of my lower limbs. I scratched them with a brass pin and shortly afterwards both of those limbs became so sore that I could scarcely walk. When I had been suffering for about a month the sores began to heal, but small scaly eruptions appeared where the sores had been. From that time onward I was troubled by such severe itching that, until I became accustomed to it, I would scratch the sores until the blood began to flow. This would stop the itching for a few days, but scaly places would appear again and the itching would accompany them. After I suffered about ten years I made a renewed effort to effect a cure. The eruptions by this time had appeared on every part of my body except my face and hands. The best doctors in my native country advised me to use arsenic in small doses and a salve. I then used to bathe the sores in a mixture which gave almost intolerable pain. In addition I used other remedies, such as iodine, sulphur, zinc salve, —'s Salve, — Ointment, and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes or bottles. All this was fruitless. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. I used —'s —'s —'s but it did no good. A few months after, having used almost everything else, I thought I would try Cuticura Ointment, having previously used Cuticura Soap and being pleased with it. After using three boxes I was completely cured, and my hair was restored, after fourteen years of suffering and an expenditure of at least \$50 or \$60 in vainly endeavoring to find a cure. I shall be glad to write to any one who may be interested in my cure. B. Hiram Mattingly, Vermillion, S. Dak., Aug. 18, 1906."

Origin of Starch.

The art of starching was not introduced into England until the ingenuity of Dutch women in starching ruff induced Queen Elizabeth to turn to them when she took to wearing canonic and linen cuffs. In 1564 Mistress Dinghen von den Plasse, the refuge daughter of a Flemish knight, came with her husband to London, according to an old writer, and set up an establishment for starching, where she not only plied her trade, but instructed English classes in her art.

Our Annual Sale of Cottons.

From Saturday, January 19, to Saturday, January 26, Inclusive.

| Bleached 1 Yard Wide. | | BY THE YARD OR BOLT | Unbleached 1 Yard Wide. | |
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Where do you keep your savings? In your pocket, in a hole in the wall or in a tin can. In such places, theft and fire can easily take it from you. The safest place is a Savings Bank. Your Savings in this bank are protected by a strong safe and vault, well insured against burglary, and the investments for our Savings Department are made in good farm mortgages. Your money here will earn you interest.

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Cured in One Day.

Henry's Cold Cure is a Perfect Preparation for Colds and LaGrippe. Contains Cascara, Ipecac and Quinine combined with other equally effective and well known drugs used for relieving colds. Put up in tablet form. Does not affect the head. Cures by removing the cause and does not have any narcotic effects. We will tell you exactly what it contains and you can try it on our guarantee.

Price 25 Cents Per Box.

Henry's Modern Drug Store.

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Corner Opposite the Bank will Open

January 19, 1907.

Look in the windows for January Bargains and then come inside and find numbers of other good ones. Come in and let us show you what we have.

F. C. Wood & Son.

At the regular annual meeting of the stock holders of the Lowe State Bank held Tuesday, January 8th., 1907, F. T. King, Charles McCarty, F. L. L. Bennett and V. E. Marsh were elected directors for the year 1907. The following officers were also elected for the year: Frank F. T. King—president, E. L. Bennett—vice president, W. E. Marsh—cashier and D. G. Manzo—ass't cashier.

Ionla—The annual banquet of the Gridley republic club of Ionia county will be held Friday evening, Feb. 15. Speakers have been secured as follows: Hon. W. F. MaLan, of Toronto, Ont., editor of the Toronto World and since 1893 a member of the Canadian parliament; Charles E. Whelan, national lecturer of the Modern Woodmen of America of Wisconsin; Gov. Warner, Gerrit J. Diekema, and Kio Sui Inui, the Jap orator.—(News.)

SCHOOL NOTES.
Miss Ada Boulard has been ill the past two weeks.
Jay Watters visited the high school last Thursday.
The English IV class is reading "Hamlet."
All classes are taking reviews in preparation for semester examinations.
Misses Clara and Izene Bergin, graduates of the school, were at the high school last week.
Miss Mae Kihan has recovered from a short illness.
The class in English II is reading the comedy "As You Like It."
Mrs. Don Smith and Miss Ethel Stone visited the high school Monday.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN.

Dr. Hodges, dentist. of Mrs. F. B. McKay is quite ill. Piano tuning. R. D. Stocking. Mrs. A. B. Smith has been quite ill. Mrs. Phoebe Tate is ill with grip. Mrs. W. L. Merriman is ill this week.
R. E. Springett was in Grand Rapids Monday.
Mrs. Chas. Quick has gone to Grand Rapids.
J. E. Lee was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.
Clifton Bradish spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.
Mrs. Mark Brown of Otisco was in town Tuesday.
Miss Mattie Stone of Alto was in town yesterday.
Mrs. Geo. Parker has been quite ill the past week.
Mrs. A. C. Sherman was in Grand Rapids Saturday.
H. J. Taylor's infant son has been ill for several days.
Cotton sale. See our advertisement. A. W. Weekes.
Mrs. O. C. McDannell spent Tuesday in Grand Rapids.
J. D. Kelley was in Grand Rapids Monday and Tuesday.
Cotton sale commences Saturday, Jan. 19. A. W. Weekes.
Dr. O. C. McDannell was in Grand Rapids Tuesday night.
Mrs. Ed. Flynn has been quite ill with grip the past week.
Floyd Oliver visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Wilkinson in Keene Sunday.
Miss Lizzie McMahon spent Sunday and Monday in Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Littlefield visited relatives at Saranac Tuesday.
Frank Clark of Mt. Pleasant is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. B. Smith.
Dr. and Mrs. E. D. McQueen were in Grand Rapids last Wednesday.
Ed. Hutchison left Monday on a trip to Washington and California.
Donald and Mary, children of Nell Cameron, have been ill the past few days.
Born—in Bowne, Saturday, Jan. 12th., to Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Lee, a daughter.
Mesdames Margaret Lewis and R. D. Stocking were in Grand Rapids Saturday.
Mrs. P. S. Griffeth and daughter Bernice are recovering from an illness with grip.

Annual cotton sale Saturday, January 19, to Saturday, January 26. A. W. Weekes.
Chris Bergin is attending a session of the Board of Supervisors in Grand Rapids.
Mrs. E. J. Ferris of Marquette is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lally, at Parnell.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kebler of Barryton visited the latter's brother, O. J. McClellan, yesterday.
The Ledger booked orders for job printing for two firms in the Upper Peninsula this week.
LOST—ONE BLACK DRIVING glove, left hand; 50 cents reward if returned to Dr. O. C. McDannell.
Special sale on liquid veneer, the best furniture polish in the world; 50c bottles 35c. R. D. Stocking.
Phay Bradish has returned from Cedar Springs, where he has been working during the past few months.
Party leaving town will sell two lecture course tickets—4 numbers each left for 75c. Inquire at this office.
Messrs. and Mesdames Bert Vanderlip and Earl Vanderlip of Belding accompanied the body of Mrs. Martha Vanderlip to Lowell yesterday.
Henry's cold cure tablets will cure your cold and leave no bad effects. Try it on our guarantee. Henry, the druggist.
Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe of Freeport have rented D. C. Macham's house on Avery street and the former will be employed by the Cutter company this winter.
Ralph Bingham, who fills the next number of the Clover Leaf club lecture course, comes highly recommended by press and pulpit as an entertainer and humorist of the highest order. He has appeared before 7,000 audiences, including 2,000 in Pennsylvania and New York alone. Hear him at Train's opera house Wednesday evening, Jan. 23.

Dr. White, dentist. Phone 151. Elias Parker is seriously ill. Mrs. G. W. Bangs has been ill this week.
Mrs. Chas. Kreplin is very ill at her home near Alto.
Miss Katherine Mueller has been quite ill this week.
E. Herbert is making a good recovery from his long illness.
Harley Burt of Grand Ledge spent Sunday with Lowell friends.
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. White and son Howard spent Sunday at Clarksville.
E. B. Caldwell of Chicago has been visiting Miss Anna Stoutenberg this week.
Remember the Ralph Bingham entertainment next Wednesday evening, Jan. 23d.
Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Warner visited the former's mother at Morse Lake Monday.
Benj. Terwilliger is making an extended visit with a sister at Wana-maker, Ind.
Reserved seats for the Bingham entertainment will be on sale after Jan. 21st. at Coon's store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Andrews visited their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Draper, at Pratt Lake Monday.
Mrs. D. C. Watters has been with her husband at St. Louis, Mich., where he is taking treatment.
Dr. F. E. White has been attending a dental clinic in Chicago yesterday and today, and returns Friday morning.
Mrs. Nellie Pinckney was granted a divorce from Ira Pinckney Monday, the charge being cruelty and non-support.
Our white-pine compound gives the best satisfaction of any cough cure we ever sold. Full 4 oz. bottle, 25c. Henry, the druggist.
We have received the handsome 12-sheet calendar of the Michigan Agricultural college for 1907. This institution will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its founding, May 29-31. The American Association of Agricultural Colleges and experiment Stations meets there at that time; and President Roosevelt has consented to give an address May 31. All alumni, former students, educators and friends of the Agricultural college are invited to attend.
Lowell post cards, 3 for 5c, at the Ledger office.

NO MAN IS STRONGER THAN HIS STOMACH.

Let the greatest athlete have dyspepsia and his muscles would soon fall. Physical strength is derived from food. If a man has insufficient food he loses strength. If he has no food he dies. Food is converted into nutrition through the stomach and bowels. It depends on the strength of the stomach to what extent food eaten is digested and assimilated. People can die of starvation who have abundant food to eat, when the stomach and its associate organs of digestion and nutrition do not perform their duty. Thus the stomach is really the vital organ of the body. If the stomach is "weak" the body will be weak also, because it is upon the stomach the body relies for its strength. And as the body, considered as a whole, is made up of its several members and organs, so the weakness of the body as a consequence of "weak" stomach will be distributed among the organs which compose the body. If the body is weak because it is ill-nourished that physical weakness will be found in all the organs—heart, liver, kidneys, etc. The liver will be torpid and inactive, giving rise to biliousness, loss of appetite, weak nerves, feeble or irregular action of heart, palpitation, dizziness, headache, backache and kindred disturbances and weaknesses.
Mr. Louis Pare, of Quebec, writes: "For years after my health began to fail, my head grew dizzy, eyes pained me, and my stomach was sore all the time, while everything I would eat would seem to lie heavy like lead on my stomach. The doctors claimed that it was sympathetic trouble due to dyspepsia, and prescribed for me, and although I took their powders regularly yet I felt no better. My wife advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—and stop taking the doctor's medicine. She bought me a bottle and we soon found that I began to improve, so I kept up the treatment. I took on flesh, my stomach became normal, the digestive organs worked perfectly and I soon began to look like a different person. I can never cease to be grateful for what your medicine has done for me and I certainly give it highest praise." Don't be wheedled by a penny-grabbing dealer into taking inferior substitutes for Dr. Pierce's medicines, recommended to be "Just as good."
To gain knowledge of your own body—in sickness and health—send for the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser. A book of 1008 pages. Send 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 31 stamps for cloth-bound copy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Churches and Societies

METHODIST.
At 9:30 a. m. class meeting; 10:30 a. m., public worship and sermon. Sunday school at noon. The class in Ethical Christianity will be addressed by S. P. Hicks, subject for discussion: "The kind of a church and minister the masses want." Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7 p. m. Rev. A. P. Moors will preach at both services next Sunday and at St. Paul's Guild Thursday evening at 7:30.

Services at the Bailey church next Sunday at 2:15 p. m., in charge of Rev. A. P. Moors.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Next Sunday Mr. Clark will give an address on "Life in the South." Sunday School at 12 o'clock. No evening service.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Woodworth, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. E. A. Hodges, had a narrow escape in the Gaylord hotel fire Saturday night and suffered the loss of their personal property. Mr. Woodworth has a position at Gaylord and they were boarding at the hotel.
Builds up waste tissue, promotes appetite, improves digestion, induces refreshing sleep, and gives renewed strength and health. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. D. G. Loom.

A banquet will be served by the losing side to the winners in the contest for members just closed in the Modern Woodmen, in the Woodmen hall Jan. 18, 1907, J. B. Meyers, caterer. A program of music and speaking will be arranged and every member is expected to be present. Walter Morgan, Geo. M. Parker, Earl Nash, E. A. Hodges—Com.
Grand Rapids, Jan. 14—Rev. Godolphin, pastor of Grace Episcopal church, has started a movement to build a parish house open to the public, containing reading and sewing rooms, billiard and pool tables and bowling alleys, besides the usual accessories. The idea has proven popular, Bishops Gillespie and McCormick favoring it.
R. B. Loomis, secretary of the Board of Auditors and a prominent citizen of Grand Rapids, died yesterday morning in that city after a short illness beginning with a fall last Thursday night while returning home from a meeting with the supervisors, and resulting in pneumonia. He has been president of the State Senate and a member of the Board of Supervisors.

Cut this out and take it to M. N. HENRY'S drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets are far superior to pills, being easier to take and more pleasant in effect. They correct disorders of the stomach liver and bowels.

Judge Alfred Wolcott of Grand Rapids delivered a very interesting address on "The Supremacy of Law" at the Methodist church Sunday night. He believes that it is the duty of every citizen to take an interest in the affairs of the government, and regrets the great amount of indifference to state interests that exists among the people. The judge advocates also that the golden rule should be practiced more often in our dealings with our fellowmen.

HORSES WANTED.
Thirty head of 3 and 4 year olds. Must be well bred and good individuals. GEO. E. LAKE, Lowell, Mich. Citz. phone 225 3w

Bacon Sandwiches.
Fry thin slices of bacon until crisp, drain and chop finely. Make into a paste with just enough butter to hold together and spread very thin slices of bread with the mixture.—Good Housekeeping.

To Blacken a Hearth.
Mix some blacklead with a little soft soap and water. Boil the mixture thoroughly and lay it on the bricks with a brush.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.
Kidney trouble has become 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 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 effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers abroad. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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My birds show remarkably strong values that cannot be excelled anywhere or by any other breed of fowls. Only a few pairs to sell at Segun Poultry Farm just west of D. & M. depot, Lowell, Mich. J24p

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A Word About Clocks.

We haven't spoken about clocks for a long time, and all the while we have one of the rarest assortments we have asked the people to look at. There are a great number of sorts of clocks and we think we have just about all of them.
One of the sort that won't let you oversleep in the morning will cost \$1.00 or one of the repeating kind \$1.50. Will last for years, too.
Those pretty Gold affairs are especially suitable for presents. We have a lot of dainty designs \$1.50 UP.
Kitchen clocks, a life time of wear in them, \$2.50 UP. Eight day strike.
Mantel Clocks, cathedral going strike, bell 1/2 hour, \$5.00 UP.
If you need a clock see us.

