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HOOKER PIONEERS

Enjoyed Annual Picnic and Re-union Last Thursday.

The Hooker Pioneer Society held its eighteenth annual picnic dinner June 30 at the home and shady yard of Charles McCarty at Lowell. At about 11, a. m., a large number of members and guests began to assemble. A number of large well-filled tables were spread with a great and bounteous supply of delicious viands and about 1 o'clock dinner was announced and the tables were soon filled. After a blessing asked for this occasion by Rev. N. F. Jenkins the company fell to and made lively work for the committees who attended to the desires of the hungry pioneers.

After all had been served President Hooker called to order and the minutes of the last annual meeting were read. The obituaries read of those who have died the past year were: O. O. Adams, Charles Quick, D. P. Atwater, A. C. Stone, Magdalena Ryder and Levi Fletcher. New members admitted at this meeting were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. H. Silsby, Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Moon, Mrs. N. L. McCarty, Mrs. Benj. Morse, Mrs. Eunice McVean.

Rev. Jenkins, E. VanDusen and Mrs. Phila Clark were called upon for remarks and responded in a cheerful mood.

Officers elected were: Mrs. A. C. Sherman, vice president; L. J. Robinson, treasurer; Mrs. M. M. Perry secretary; R. Ryder, G. F. White and Mesdames Eliza Hodges, L. J. Robinson and O. O. Adams, executive committee in whose hands the time and place of next meeting was left.—Sec.

Lowell Still Winning

The Bon Ton team was to have played here last week but flunked. Claude Shepard, one of Grand Rapids best left hand pitchers gathered a bunch on short notice and gave the locals a game. The home team shut the visitors out and in the mean time gathered in six runs.

Score by innings

Lowell	10102020
Grand Rapids	000000000

Batteries, McMahon & Shivel, Shepard and Baird.

Notes on the Game

Newington was on second because of McQueen's absence. He played good ball and got a hit.

Holliday had an off day. A home run and tripple out of four times up.

Rickshauser played a nice game in center. Oliver got a nice hit and two runs. Thomas.

Wednesday afternoon June 29, the members of Joseph Wilson Relief Corps No. 29 met with Mrs. Flanagan. After decorating porches and lawns with flags and bunting, prepared well loaded tables for a picnic supper on the lawn. A goodly number of the Lowell G. A. R. men came and with a few invited guests made a company of about fifty. All pronounced it a very enjoyable occassion.—[Com.

Roy Graham of St. Johns was fined $8.50 by Justice Perry Saturday for being "too fresh" with Lowell girls. Indulgence in Lowell booze may account for his misbehavior; but that is not to be allowed as an excuse.

List of unclaimed letters at the post office: G. L. Pierce, Frank R. Spencer, Miss Nina Adams, Miss Ira Brooks, May Flynn, Mrs. Susie Herrington, Mrs. Cornelia Lee, Mrs. Janie Levering, Mrs. Mary E. Moan.

The funeral service for John Henry Wride of Ada were held Tuesday morning at the Congregational church in that village, Rev. Russell H. Bready officiating.

Rev. Frank Field of Flint visited at the M. E. parsonage over Sunday and preached for Elder Jenkins Sunday evening.

Seems natural to see Bob Boylan at the old hardware stand. He is helping Ford out during the busy season.

Ansbacher's paris green—the purest, the strongest and the best—sold at Look's drug and book store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. VanDyke left Saturday for a three weeks outing at Petoskey and other Northern resorts.

The Jolly Dozen enjoyed a picnic supper with Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Wednesday evening.

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KEENE FARM'S LOSS

King Rickert's Buildings Burned on July Fourth.

Fire destroyed the large barn and other buildings, excepting the house, on the farm of King Rickert in Keene at 11.30, a. m., July 4. The loss is a heavy one, including a large amount of personal property, wagons, binder, bean-puller, hay and grain, aggregating not less than $2,500, with $900 insurance on the large barn.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The boys had been unloading hay when they discovered the blaze, which had already gained such headway that it could not be controlled.

Neighbors and many from the picnic crowd at Wilkinson's responded to the call for help and did what they could; but conditions were against them and the fire fiend did his work well.

W. R. Bolter, Successor to H. W. Hakes.

Mr. Bolter has had seven years experience in undertaking and picture framing and comes here highly recommended. He has purchased two new funeral cars which will be here as soon as completed, also many other things pertaining to the business. He also will put in a line of art goods as soon as his store is overhauled, which was recently vacated by U. B. Williams. Mr. Bolter will devote his entire time to these lines and guarantees satisfaction.

Earl McNaughton returned last Friday from a six month's sojourn at Palacios, Texas, looking well and hearty. At this season of the year, and particularly during this hot spell, he he found little difference in temperature in making the change. Earl says "Anyone who will go where I have been and then come back and find fault with Lowell, has something wrong with his head." Amen!

The annual family reunion at Henry McCarty's in Walker township was enjoyed there the Fourth by about seventy-five celebrators. Brother Charles and other members of the Lowell branch to the number of fourteen participated in the festivities.

Trinity Methodist church of Grand Rapids, Rev. Russell H. Bready, pastor, has bought a $10,000 site for a new parsonage and church. This means that the elder will remain with Trinity four years.

The firemen were called out this noon hour by burning grass around the Baptist church. The adjacent outbuilding was burned but prompt action saved the church from damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Orris Randall and little son Clayton of Grand Rapids spent Sunday and the 4th with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randall.

Ernest Vandercook spent part of last week in Greenville. From there he went to Detroit for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Silsby returned last week from a ten days visit with the latter's sister at Topeka, Indiana.

Allie Pinkney of Lake City asks us to "please accept" a dollar on subscription. Sure. Anything to accommodate.

Mrs. Nellie M. Vaughan of Grand Rapids visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Abbott, Sunday.

C. E. Francisco has returned from a six weeks' jury duty in Grand Rapids.

American Beauty corset week at E. R. Collar's July 11 to 16.

Mr. [illegible] visited relatives in Lansing Sunday and Monday.

[illegible] and Clifford [illegible] are visiting in Grand Rapids.

[illegible] of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting at [illegible]

[illegible] ice.

KILLED BY A FALL.

John Wride of Ada Loses Life by By Breaking Scaffold.

Ada, July 1.—Through the collapse of a scaffold at 4 o'clock this afternoon one man is dead and two others are seriously injured. An unsound piece of timber which had been used as an upright in the building of the 20-foot scaffolding broke under the combined weight of the three men, precipitating all to the ground without warning. They hit upon the piles of lumber beneath the scaffold.

John Wride, aged 63 years, received internal injuries, from which he died this evening, having retained consciousness almost all the time following the accident. He suffered great pain in consequence of his hurts. He is survived by a widow and two daughters, who live here in the village.

William Wride, a brother of the dead man, was badly bruised by the fall and William Kaboose, the owner of the farm, sustained three fractured ribs.—[Herald.

PLAYED WITH FIRE

Boyish Folly Causes Fire Alarm to be Sounded.

A small blaze in the roof of the old art building on Malcolm's track, started by boys burning out sparrows, caused the fire alarm to be sounded Saturday at 4 p. m. Some men at work near by fortunately secured one of Denick's paint ladders and stopped the fire with small loss; but the fire department had made a quick response and a dash down Bridge street before the location of the fire was known.

Some "stick-lick-orish" smartly applied would be good medicine for boys who know no better than to play with fire around old buildings in a dry time like this.

"One of These Little Ones."

Beryl A., daughter of Frank L. and Allie Cline died yesterday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chambers, aged 26 months, after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services will be held tomorrow (Friday) at the home, 3.30, p. m., Rev. W. D. Ogg officiating.

Annual School Meeting.

At the annual school meeting of District No. 1, to be held at the Central building Monday July 11 at 7 o'clock, p. m., four trustees are to be elected: Two for three years to succeed R. VanDyke and D. G. Look, one for two years to succeed E. D. McQueen and one for one year to succeed F. E. White.

Frank Brestly, a Michigan telephone lineman, was overcome by the heat Eriday while at work in Grand Rapids, and died the same evening. He was a son of John Brestly and was born in Lowell Nov. 17, 1864; but spent his boyhood at Saranac.

Harry Fletcher, who is employed on the Fennville Herald, is spending a two weeks' vacation with his people here. The family will move next month to Flint, where Misses Mary and Sadie will teach next year, the former having already taught there one year.

Accompanied by her little son Warren, Mrs. R. T. Ford left Wednesday to spend the balance of the summer with her parents and other friends in Rochester, N. Y.

Mrs. Frank Bulask and four children of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. B's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Chambers.

Mesdames A. C. Sherman and Octavia Eaton of Grand Rapids were in town to attend the Hooker pioneer picnic.

Born, July 6, at Harbor Springs, Mich., an 8-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lane; and "All doing fine."

Misses Emma Snobble and the Misses Arnolds of Ionia spent a couple of days last week with Miss Olive Bissell.

Mrs. Bertha Strong has been chosen director of the Methodist choir during the summer months and the absence of Miss Kemp.

Ansbacher's pure paris green kills the bugs without stunting the growth of the potato vine—sold at Look's drug and book store.

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Lloyd Smocks and Florence Aldrich are visiting relatives at Dutton this week.

American Beauty corset week at E. R. Collar's July 11 to 16.

The improvements over Gould's store have been re-painted and improved.

The Methodist church furnace is undergoing repairs.

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F. B. [illegible]
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LOWELL, MICHIGAN

What a mean thing the fly is, anyhow.

Well, the aeroplane season seems to have a lively opening this year.

There seems to be just one reliable get rich quick scheme; run an aeroplane.

Pretty soon the astronomers will be at liberty to get back to the problem of signaling Mars.

It must be convenient to have the Japs to blame when anything goes wrong with drydocks in the Orient.

Exclusiveness can be carried too far. Here's a Cincinnati dude who carries his private street car strap.

That young man who jumped into the river because his girl didn't love him merely carried into effect what thousands have at one time or another threatened to do.

In Mexico City the Mexicans put flowers on the graves of the American soldiers who "licked them to a standstill" at Chapultepec. War develops some queer sentiments.

It is likely that the earthquakes in Costa Rica have an origin like the great earthquake in San Francisco—a settling of the earth's crust. No volcanic outburst sufficient to account for the shakes in Cost Rica has been reported.

The Pennsylvania state department of health is doing a good thing in seeing that dealers in food supplies do not expose eatables to flies. Now that we know the fly for what he is we are bound to consider him more of an enemy than ever.

French railroads are reported to have forbidden kissing in the stations with a view to accelerating train service. O, that's all right. Let the trains pull out. Most of the osculators are not passengers. It's a habit and the station the best place to indulge in it without attracting undue attention.

The women of a church in New York are to have a church parlor built. The unpaint men complained of the big hats, which prevented them from seeing the preacher, and the women agreed to a reform. The men had threatened to quit the church, but the women countered by leaving them without a plausible excuse.

A Chicago paper says that it is uncertain whether St. Louis, Boston or Baltimore will prove to be the fourth city in the country in population. At St. Louis was about 60,000 ahead of Baltimore and 15,000 ahead of Boston two years ago, and growing at a faster than either, this is a cruel kick from an old-time rival.

Nine thousand men will be employed in taking the census in Canada next year. The department of agriculture does the job in the United States, here of the party not in power declare that the census means that a fat slice will be divided among the smaller type of pirates." The chief objection to the census on this side of the line have much improved in recent years. Probably Canada will follow suit in time.

And now a Japanese spy has been captured in Ecuador. It appears that Japan is offering to help Peru in case of war with Ecuador. The vigilance of our anti-Japanese talkers has evidently foiled the Mikado, and since he despairs of getting a foothold in this country he is intriguing in South America. Since the trouble has shifted to Ecuador, perhaps Mr. Hobson and his friends will be quiet for a while.

The United States and Mexico have taken the initial steps toward making international regulations for traffic in the air. Certain provisions of the agreement will permit governments to treat as smugglers or private citizens who fly across the border without due regard for the customs laws. Apparently if we are to have airships for business and pleasure we must also have aerial war vessels and revenue cutters.

The latest cotton report shows conditions distinctly improved as compared with those of last year at the same date. The warmer weather prevailing in the south may be counted on to hasten maturity and possibly will increase the output over even the present estimate. Fears of a shortage have had a somewhat serious effect on the market, but the slump in prices shows that some speculators at least have overreached themselves.

An Ohio cow has for the last three years worn a wooden leg. She probably does not kick over the pail with her one time facility.

Another peril is threatened by the new era of aviation. A cow choked to death while trying to swallow a small balloon that came down.

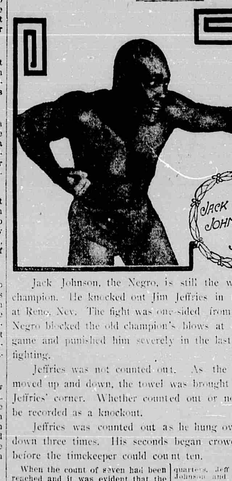
The biggest nature fakers of all are the "profs" who tell the seniors about this time what an easy conquest the world they are going to have.

JIM JEFFRIES KNOCKED OUT

BATTERED HELPLESS IN THE FIFTEENTH ROUND BY JOHNSON HE FALLS THROUGH THE ROPES.

NEGRO SMILING AND TALKING ALL THE TIME HAS JEFFRIES IN DISTRESS ALL THROUGH THE BATTLE.

Once Great Master of the Ring is a Child in Johnson's Hands; Boilermaker Helpless in Trying to Solve Grinning Black Man's Defense.



Jack Johnson, the Negro, is still the world's heavyweight champion. He knocked out Jim Jeffries in the fifteenth round at Reno, Nev. The fight was one-sided from the start. The Negro blocked the old champion's blows at every stage of the game and punished him severely in the last five rounds of the fighting.

Jeffries was not counted out. As the timekeeper's hand moved up and down the referee was brought into the ring from Jeffries' corner. Whether counted on not, it probably will be recorded as a knockout.

Jeffries was counted out as he hung over the ropes, going down three times. His seconds began crowding into the ring before the timekeeper could count ten.

When the count of seven had been reached and it was evident that the white champion had been finished, at one time and they stood toe to toe at the ropes and Timekeeper Harding was screened from the ring by the referee. The referee was so positive that no announcements from the ring officials were audible.

Finally after more or less of a struggle that looked for a time as though it would grow into a riot, the fight was given to the negro.

The once great Jeffries—the master of the ring, the heretofore never defeated champion of all champions, as his admirers had called him, was still half outside the ropes struggling to get back into the ring, with his smile still intact, yet not seeming to gloat, was in his corner surrounded by his friends.

Johnson Wants to "Shake."

When Jeff was led back to his corner by Corbett, Berger and Jack O'Brien he was still smiling. Johnson moved to the center of the ring and received the congratulations of Billy Delancy. He was breathing normally. He was not hurt in any way.

Hart said to the champion: "Go over and shake hands with the poor old fellow, Jack."

"No, I don't owe him anything now," said Johnson.

Later he went to Jeffries's corner, but Jim Corbett and Jack O'Brien waved him away.

When he returned to his own corner the crowding was so dense the police had to beat them back.

The first man to congratulate him on his corner was John L. Sullivan.

Jeff was attended by his physician as he sat in his corner. He sat shaking his head sadly for a few minutes and then was led to his dressing-room.

Soon afterards he was taken to his camp at Moana Springs.

As soon as the men left the ring the crowd began the destruction of the ring. The ropes were cut into bits, the canvas ripped up and slipped into small pieces, and even the staples that hold the canvas were unscrewed and taken as souvenirs.

The Fight By Rounds.

ROUND ONE.

Jeff walked out and faintly smiled and Johnson gave ground. Johnson quickly left and landed heavily on Jeff's face. They were cautious and they stood apart. Johnson left Jeff away. Jeff looked a left to the face and Johnson ripped a right to the body. Johnson responded with a light one and they stood apart. Jeff breast tried for blows. As they broke Jeff swung a left to Johnson's neck and the negro stepped in, but missed. They came to close range and they clinched. The fighting was tame and Jeff slapped Jack on the shoulder and they broke.

ROUND TWO.

Jeff assumed crouch, but missed his first attempt. Johnson feinted, but Jeff ripped a terrific right at Johnson's head left to Jeff's face and as they clinched ripped in a hard upper cut to Jeff's chin. They held together and were willing to give each. Jeff rent a right to right and took a left on the face at close quarters. Jeff crouched and waited for Johnson and he was willing. They clinched and Jeff ripped a hard one on the kidneys. Johnson smiled. Jeff got hard to Jeff's face and tried his upper cut but missed and Jeff ripped a hard left to heading and not much hitting. Jeff seemed to be doing good work, having the ring.

ROUND THREE.

They met easy, Jeff and Corbett as he walked to the center. Jeff smiled and Johnson ripped a hard left to the mouth. Jeff looked a left to the body and Johnson ripped a hard one to the face. They shoved and pushed apart. Jeff ripped a hard left to the face and Johnson ripped a hard one to the right for the chin. Johnson smiled and continued to have the. It was apparently a very easy battle for Johnson, keep blocking them perfectly. Jeff did not seem to be hurting Johnson, but appeared nervous as he was rubbed down.

ROUND FOUR.

Jeff took the opening position again and walked in. He missed and they fell into a clinch. Jeff ripped a hard blow right for the chin, but missed, and Johnson ripped a hard one to the face. Jeff rushed. Jim, don't you hear what I'm tell-ing you? Jeff ripped a hard left to the face. Jim back and they came to a clinch. Jeff ripped a left to the face and drew the blood from Johnson's lip. The crowd yelled "First blood for Jeffries." Jim Johnson smiled. As Johnson walked to his corner Jeff ripped a hard one and they came to a clinch. Jeff sent a hard left to the face. Johnson came back with a right, but Jeff neatly ducked it and Johnson missed.

ROUND FIVE.

Jeff came up quickly. Jeff and Jack and tried to land first. Jack sparred and Jeff ripped a hard one to the face. Jeff blocked. In the clinch that followed Johnson ripped a hard one to the face. They broke Jack swung the left for the face and Jeff missed. Johnson ripped the uppercut and cut Jeff's lip slightly. As they broke Jack landed a hard one to the face with a left. Jeff ripped a hard one to the kidneys. Johnson came back with a hard one to the face. Jeff stepped in and shot a straight left to Jack's head and the crowd cheered. The gong found them in a clinch. The fight was slow up to this time, with little damage to either man.

ROUND SIX.

Again Jeff crouched. They stepped around and Jeff ripped a hard one to the face. Jeff ripped a hard left to face. One of them hit Jeff a crack in the face. Again they fell into each other's embraces, but Johnson ripped a hard one to the face. Jeff ripped, but missed a left for the body and Jack shot a left on the nose in return. Johnson kept up a running fire of left to Jeff's face. They came to a clinch, but Jeff slowly chewed gum in Johnson's face. Jeff ripped a hard left and Jack left a and a right on the face. Jeff got a left on the face. Johnson slow Jeff's right eye. Jack missed two rights. Jeff's nose was bleeding when the round rang. When Jeffries walked to his corner he seemed to have his right eye, but Jeff scoffed them. He was O. K. and they only scoured his face. Johnson's round.

ROUND SEVEN.

Jeff walked right in, but before he had advanced an inch Jeff had a hard left and missed. Jeff's face seemed to stand breast to breast with Jeff's glove. He feinted and tried to draw Johnson on, but the negro declined to come in. Jeff stepped in with a left for the body, but missed and took a left on the head. Jeff hooked a left to the body and Johnson laughed loudly. Jeff got a left on the face twice at close range and Jeff ripped a hard one to the face. Johnson ripped a hard one to the face. Jack's blood flowed. Johnson ripped a hard one to the face. Jeff's face was bleeding freely and as he turned to take his corner at the gong he seemed to take all blood. Jeff was not worried, apparently, and looked fresh. Johnson seemed to gain confidence in the fight progressed.

ROUND THIRTEEN.

Putting his right glove before his face, Jeff walked into a clinch without a blow. When they broke Johnson sent a left to the body and Jeff ripped a hard one to the chin. "Stick there," shouted Corbett. Jeff stuck and he was forced away. Then he took two lefts and a right opposite to his face. Johnson sent in three lefts to face in quick succession and then appeared to be faced. Jeff seemed tired and could not hit Johnson with anything. They finally clinched. This round was all Johnson's. Jeff's face was bleeding. "Come on, Jeff," said Corbett. "You will get him."

ROUND FOURTEEN.

Jeff walked straight into a left and they hung onto each other. Jack tapped his face lightly. Jeff came with his left lefts and blocking Jeff's attempt at close fighting. Johnson ripped a left took three straight lefts to the face and Jeff's face was bleeding. Jeff got a left to the face. Jeff blocked a left to the face. Jeff's face was within six inches of his face. "How do you feel, Jim?" said Jack as they clinched. "How do you like 'em?" Jeff was all but done. He was groggy. Johnson walked into them. lefts in quick succession. "They don't hurt," he said.

ROUND FIFTEEN.

It was a clinch to start with, following Jeffries' attempt to land on the body. Johnson knocked Jeff down with a right to the face. Jeff came up and was sent down again for the count of five. The crowd yelled "stop it." Jeff let him knock him out." As Jeff got up the second time he staggered for Jack and, the latter sprang at him like a tiger and with a succession of left jabs and a right to the jaw sent him through the ropes as he went down. Jeff's seconds rushed in to pick up their man. Jeff was in no condition to solve the negro's defense and took all the blows that came his way. Jack

WIRE BULLETINS.

Lucius W. Hoyt, president of the Colorado Bar Association and dean of the law department of the University of Denver, died at Denver.

It is reported that John B. Stanch field, the lawyer who defended F. Augustus Heinze in the recent trial in New York, received a fee of $800,000.

The sun slinging on a stock of fireworks became so hot that the display windows of the W. S. Prowd store, in Charlotte, went up in smoke with a terrific roar.

John A. Nicholls, of Boston, field secretary of the Prohibition state committee, was nominated for governor at the Prohibition state convention at Boston.

Cornell university will have a professor whose sole duty it will be to look after the moral welfare of the students and act as their adviser. If the plans of the student committee are carried out.

President Taft announced the appointment of ex-Governor Curtis Guild of Massachusetts as special ambassador of the United States at the celebration of the first centennial of the Republic of Mexico to be held in Mexico City in September.

The upper branch of the Louisiana legislature went on record as not only opposed to woman suffrage, but refused to allow women to act as members of boards of an educational or charitable nature, even though they be elected or appointed to such boards by men.

The largest class of applicants for positions in the insular service that ever appeared before the state department officials took the examinations at Washington. There were 84 candidates, more than twice the number of any previous class. The total number designated to take the examinations was 109 persons, of which 72 were from the north and 37 from the south.

Forest fires are threatening several towns in the vicinity of Fort William, Ont. The flames are dangerously near Mackie and Taylor's camp and are making great headway toward Silver Mountain, a town of 800 people.

The Republican territorial convention, in Juneau, Alaska, adopted a platform favoring home rule when the proper time comes. The convention asks for division of the territory and opposes conservation as now practiced in Alaska, stating that coal lands are allowed to lie idle while coal is imported from British Columbia and Japan.

Joseph Martin Brown, for three years a member of the expedition which John Walker led into Nicaragua in 1853 and by which Walker eventually sought to make himself dictator, died at his ranch home near Oroville, Cal. He was 77 years old.

Imports of precious stones, as reported by the New York customs officials this month have set the pace for the fiscal year ending June 30, above $45,000,000. The highest previous record was $42,662,476 for the year 1907. About 85 per cent of the imports are diamonds, one-third of these being uncut.

President Taft signed an order abolishing the bureau of equipment in the navy department and distributing its functions among other bureaus of the department in accordance with the recommendations of the Swift board.

Theodore Roosevelt in a letter received by Lafayette Young declines the invitation of the Des Moines Press club to speak at a banquet for the newspaper editors of Iowa. He intimates he will accept a prior invitation to speak at the Iowa State Teachers' association in Des Moines in November.

WENGER RESIGNS, IS RE-APPOINTED

WARDEN'S WIFE, CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING OPIUM TO CONVICTS, ALSO RESIGNS.

WENGER IS RE-APPOINTED AFTER EIGHT BALLOTS FAIL TO NAME SUCCESSOR.

Board in Deadlock; Adams and Merriman Combine Against McGurrin; Welsh May Get It.

Acting Warden John C. Wenger, of Jackson prison, tendered his resignation to the board of control Saturday evening, and asked to be relieved promptly. It was accepted, to take effect upon the appointment of his successor.

Mrs. O. E. Wenger, who occupies the official position of matron, and who is charged with bringing opium into the prison for convict Frank Stringer, also tendered her resignation, to take immediate effect, and it was accepted. The probability is that Mrs. Wenger will be prosecuted.

For three hours the members of the board wrestled with the question of selecting a new warden, but could not break the deadlock which existed and finally adjourned until next Saturday afternoon.

Eight ballots were taken. Governor Warner and T. J. McGurrin, of Ionia, voted for W. T. Mcurrin, of Grand Rapids, who is now adjutant general of the national guard; George Merriman voted every time for Wesley J. Thomas, of Paw Paw, while Judge Adams, of Kalamazoo, voted six times for Eugene Welsh, of Kalamazoo, and twice for E. W. Vosburg, of the same city.

Quite a heated discussion took place between the governor relative to Mr. Welsh. It is no secret that Welsh could have had the place some time ago, but he told the board that he would not accept it unless the salary was increased from $3,000 to $5,000. Adams and Nevin were both willing to vote for an increase, but such a resolution would require the approval of the governor, and the latter refused to do this, stating that Welsh was not an experienced prison man, and while he acknowledged his business ability, did not think he would be justified in giving so large a salary until he had made good.

The Latest Prison Scandal.

Mrs. John C. Wenger, wife of the warden of Jackson prison, is accused by Convict Frank Stringer of having purchased opium for him for the last three months. Drug store records at Jackson show that Mrs. Wenger has made purchases of opium.

Warden Wenger asserts his belief in his wife's innocence of the charge, and declares she confessed to him that she is addicted to the use of opium and purchased it for her own use.

Prison officials declare they saw Mrs. Wenger in the act of slipping tooked in the office of the prison box factory together on several occasions. The warden says these were merely friendly calls.

Chemists on Tour of State.

Sixteen chemists, acting under the supervision of State Chemist Robinson, will start on their tour over part of the state. It will be their duty during the next two months to make samples of the milk delivered in several of the larger cities and also to inspect the dairies. The work is brought about by the state dairy and food commissioner in an endeavor to decrease the high cost of living materially.

The plan was originated by Mrs. Robinson. While it is impossible to keep chemists in the field continuously, it was decided that the department can afford the services of these men for at least two months, and July and August were chosen because the infant death rate is so high during that period that it exceeds all other mortality rates within the state.

Those chosen to carry on the work have had considerable experience in the actual testing of milk and are in possession of the technical knowledge in the practical care of dairies.

Glazier Disgrace Kills Daughter.

After reading a reference to the imprisonment of her father, Frank P. Glazier, former state treasurer, in a newspaper a few days after the birth of her child, Mrs. Rice Howell, of Grand Rapids, daughter of formerly Vera Glazier, died of the shock. After reading this news Mrs. Howell went to bed, never to rise. Her daughter was at the bedside when the end came.

On account of her condition, relatives of Mrs. Howell had carefully kept news of the imprisonment of Glazier from her. He is serving in Jackson from her. The latest news she had was that her father's case was before the supreme court on appeal.

A. C. Carton, deputy land commissioner, who has been prominently mentioned as a candidate for lieutenant-governor, has definitely decided to not enter the race.

The revenue cutter Mackinaw saved a schooner and her crew of six from Lake Laura M., which sprung a leak in Hay lake near Sault Ste. Marie, a village near Sault Ste. Marie. The crew of the boat were compelled to bail it with their hands.

Dr. William Bohn, of the rhetoric department of the U. of M., has accepted a position to teach in the Political Culture school, Felix Adler's school, New York city.

Forest fires destroyed the Copper Range railroad station at Elm River, Houghton county. All through the upper peninsula smoke is lowering in clouds and navigation is difficult.

C. A. Mayvor, exalted ruler of the grand lodge of Elks and chairman of the executive committee of the Elks of the upper peninsula, has completed arrangements for transporting the members of the antlered tribe from the peninsula to Detroit, to the Detroit convention via special train and boats.

J. George Sharber, manager of a piano concern, was instantly killed at the outset of the Gazette automobile endurance run from Kalamazoo to South Haven.

G. E. Bennett, of Jackson, was struck by a Michigan Central freight train and died in the hospital a few hours later.

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Any person who shall find property under circumstances which give him reasonable cause to believe the same to be a stray or lost property, and who appropriates such property to his own use or to the use of another person who is not entitled thereto, shall be deemed guilty of larceny and subject to the penalties provided for the same.
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Section 11746 of the Compiled Laws of Michigan.

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Good for Charity.
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HOWK'S BIG MIDSUMMER SHOE SALE

Where you can buy OXFORDS and SHOES for men, women and children at about one-half the regular price. We are determined to close out all the summer goods we have on hand, and in order to do this we have cut the prices so deeply that you certainly cannot afford to let such an opportunity of shoeing the family go by.

Sale starts July 9, '10

One lot of **Boys' Shoes** which formerly sold as high as $2.50, while they last, **$1.00 the pair**

Men with Small Feet here's your chance. We are loaded with small sizes, 6, 6 1-2, and 7, which sell regularly at $4.00, during this sale they will be closed out at **$2.50 the pr.**

24 pr Boys' Tan Shoes Just the thing for hard wear. Worth double what we ask. Sale price **$1.00**

This Sale will give the people of Lowell and vicinity one of the grandest opportunities of buying good dependable footwear at about ½ real value

COME AND SEE FOR YOURSELF. We MEAN WHAT WE SAY.

Sale ends Aug. 9, '10

One lot of **Children' Shoes at 25c** They are worth 75c, $1.00 and $1.50, but are a broken lot and so must go.

Boys' Oxfords All Boys' Oxfords will be closed out At Cost. These Oxfords are made up in patent leathers, tans and gun metal. Be on hand early, Boys

Youths's and Little Gents' Shoes while they last **$1.00 the pr**

Our Store will be Filled with Bargains Don't wait too long, for it is to your advantage to **Be On Hand Early** to get first choice. These goods will not last long at such low prices.

Remember the Sale Commences Saturday Morning at 8:00

Below are a few of the many Bargains

Ladies' Oxfords Here is your chance of a life-time. You can take your pick from our entire stock of Oxfords for the small sum of **$1.50** This lot consists of the very best makes, such as Queen Quality, Johnson Bros., and Harrisburgs.

Men's Oxfords Choice of any of $3.00, $3.50, $4 and $4.50 Oxfords, made up in patent leather, gun metal, tans and vici kid, all styles for the next thirty days for **$2.50** COME EARLY while we have your size.

Bought at 50c on the Dollar—120 Pairs of Women's Shoes

Shoes which usually sell for $3.00, but this lot was made for Mr. E. J. Leonard of De Moines, Iowa, who recently deceased. We took them off the manufacturers' hands and will place them in this sale at **$1.50** the pair.

Don't wait. Be on hand early, as they will go quickly.

48 pairs of Women's tan and ox blood Shoes, which formerly sold at $3.50, will be closed out at ***$1.90*** the pair. Ask to see them.

60 pairs Women's plain toe Oxfords, just the thing for comfort around the house these hot days. They are worth $1.50, sale price ***$1.00.***

60 pairs Misses Oxfords, ***$1.18.*** They are worth $1.75 to $2.00.

48 pairs Children's Oxfords, ***98c.*** They formerly sold as high as $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.

One lot of Women's Shoes, ***98c*** There aren't many of them.

Women's Fine Shoes. This lot of fine Shoes is a broken lot, but there are some good sizes. ***$1.48***

60 pairs Children's Shoes, worth $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, sale price, ***98c***

1 lot of Women's Oxfords, solid as a rock, just the thing for every-day wear, worth $2, sale price. ***$1.05***

Women's Comfort Shoes, made up in plain toe, one of the best bargains on earth during sale, **$1.00 the pair**

Women's Juliets, the kind that give comfort and wear, sizes 6 to 8, while they last, **$1.00 the pair**

This is to be the most genuine price-reducing, bargain-giving event of the season

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ALTERATION SALE

We are going to remodel our store to make room for new stock. In order to do this we are going to close out some lines and reduce all others. During the next two weeks you will have an opportunity to buy Clothing and Furnishings of all kinds at prices that are positively the lowest ever offered on the class of stock we are disposing of. Just a word about this stock. It's all new and up-to-date, we guarantee every article. It's only four months since we re-entered business, and a good part of this stock has been added very recently. But we must have the room, hence this sale. No matter what you need in these lines, you can make your dollars do much more here than elsewhere. Below we mention a few of the many bargains offered. This sale starts next Saturday night July 23. Fix These dates firmly in your mind. ***JULY 9 to 23, inclusive.***

FURNISHINGS

We carry a line of Furnishings that has no superior. We refer to Wilson Bros. Shirts, Hosiery and Neckwear. The name is a guarantee of quality, but they all go at the same redneed prices. Don't miss it.

Overalls

All 50c values with or without bibs, blue and striped.....39c
Jackets at same price.
$1.00 overalls, union made, go at.....75c
Khaki pants $1.15 values.....87c
Boys' Khaki pants sizes 8 to 14.....29c

Hosiery

Men's Work Hose, 10c values at.....7c
All Black Hose, 10c values.....7c
All 15c quality, all colors.....11c
All 25c quality, all colors.....19c

Underwear

If you need more summer underwear, or if you don't need any more this season, it will pay you to buy for next season at this sale, you have never been offered such bargains as we are giving now.
All 25c garments, cream, brown and blue.....19c
All 50c garments all colors 38c
Porous Knit union suits, 90c values at.....60c
Famous B V D underwear, nainsook, $1.00 value.....73c

Neckwear

All 25c neckwear in the house goes at.....19c
All 50c neckwear, fine ltne 38c

All Armor Brand Linen Collars to be closed out at 10c each.

Men's Shirts

All our line of 50c work shirts, and we've got a large line to choose from, during this sale will go at.....**38c**
All our neligee shirts with collars and cuffs, 50c values, go at.....**38c**
colors, blue, white and cream.
All our 50c negligee dress shirts without collars.....38c
All our $1.00 shirts, Wilson Bros. make.....73c
All our $1.50 shirts, Wilson Bros. make.....$1.15
All our $2.00 shirts, Wilson Bros. make.....$1.38

Boys' Shirts

This line comprises work shirts and negligee shirts, all go at the same price.....**33c**

Knee Pants Suits

Vacation time or school time—it matters not. Your boy must be clothed. Read the prices, come and examine the quality of these suits, you'll be satisfied.

Boys' suits ages	4 to 9	were $2.50	now go at	$1.79
" "	" "	3.00	" " "	2.19
" "	" "	3.75	" " "	2.48
" "	ages 10 to 16	4.25	" " "	2.87
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Knee Pants

All knee pants, ages 6 to 16, were $ .50 will go for $ .35
" " " " " " .75 " " " .58
" " " " " " 1.00 " " " .72
Just the thing for the boy. They'll stand all that any clothing can stand, and a little more.

All Armor Brand Linen Collars to be closed out at 10c each.

All Straw Hats from 25c to $2.00 values at 1-2 off.

All light colored fur Hats, soft or stiff hats, go at 1-3 off. These are Gimbel Hats.

Men's and Youth's Clothing

Our entire line of men's and youth's clothing is going on sale at these reduced prices. It's the chance of a lifetime to secure a suit.

Men's Suits

All $16.50 Suits, light colors, summer weight....$11.62
" 20.00 " " " " " 13.87
Remember, these are strictly up-to-the-minute.

Youths' Suits

All $11.50 Suits during this sale.....$ 8.87
" 12.50 " " " " 9.25
" 15.50 " " " " 10.87

Men's Pants

We have a large line of dress and work pants.
All $1.00 Men's Pants reduced to .....$ .72
" 1.50 " " " " 1.19
" 2.00 " " " " 1.48
" 2.50 " " " " 1.69
" 3.00 and 3.50 pants " " 2.19
" 4.00 Men's Pants " " 3.38
" 5.00 and 5.50 pants " " 3.92

The White Front Store, - M. Ruben.

IN THE Johnson-Jeffries fight the biggest brute won. Now put the "nigger" up against a mule's heels and the same rule will hold. One thing every self-respecting community should decide at once is that no repetition of that brutal exhibition by moving pictures shall be tolerated. The fight in far-off debased Nevada was disgraceful and it is declared that its like will never again be permitted within our national borders; but to permit the whole affair to be repeated in detail before mixed audiences of men, women and children throughout the country will be far worse. Local authorities who do not move promptly and effectually in this matter will fail in their duty.

MORE houses are needed. Workmen who have come here can not find homes for their families. Unless they can be accommodated these men will not stay. A number of moderate-priced but comfortable tenant houses would be a paying investment, far better than idle money. Lots are cheap and available. Some of our enterprising townsmen should do a good stroke for themselves and for Lowell at the same time.

THE balloon ascension nonsense as a Fourth of July attraction cost a Grand Rapids boy his life at Vassar and a Portland man went the same route at Caro. At this was the anniversary of the horrible fatality at Lowell. LEDGER readers at least should be convinced that this antequated old celebration act which has for its sole attraction the risk of life and limb, should be dropped as an amusement feature forever.

MINING land in Keweenaw county now owned by the United States Steel corporations is worth millions of dollars, netted the county only 60c per acre. The prevention of these enormous thefts and the saving of natural resources for the people is the aim of conservationists like Pinchot.

THAT race riots would follow Johnson's victory over Jeffries was to have been expected. It takes but little to elate the children and naturally depraved colored race; and white "sports" are no mood to endure their taunts. Let us hope Nevada will never again be allowed to disgrace the Union. She isn't worth it.

WE'VE all heard of the man who always votes his ticket straight and our opinion of him coincides with that of President Jordon of Stanford University who says: "The only straight ticket to vote is one with the crooked names all scratched off." Paste this in your hats, boys.

PRESIDENT Calkins of the Michigan W. C. T. U. denies that that organization is opposing local option or is criticising Mr. Morrow. She says: "We are working for the same cause and praying for the same results." Of course. Why should these good women turn on their best friends?

MILWAUKEE's city council will close up 104 saloons because they "have not been conducted properly." What? And confiscate property and destroy business and drive poor men out of the city? And in Milwaukee, the mother of booze! Treason, Treason!

MR. ROOSEVELT has decided to line up against the Ballinger crowd and Messrs. Pinchot and Glavis who fought the big steal and got fired for it, and Mr. Garfield who defended them will be cast adrift for so able an ally. But where does Taft get off?

THIS Independence anniversary week is timely for reading the history of Thomas Jefferson. How much America owes that sterling old patriot for its civil and religious liberties is not properly appreciated.

GRAND RAPIDS should drop her "Knows How" slogan until she solves her water problem. Ten years of agitation and little or no water in scorching weather, doesn't look like knowing how.

THE LEDGER hereby apologizes to its readers for the account given in its news department of the prize fight—discovered too late to prevent. We shall be on guard in the future.

VERGENNES.

James Perry Purdy, an old pioneer of this place died July 1, 1910 at 5.30 a. m. He was born in St. Lawrence county, New York, Oct. 2, 1835. In 1845 he came with his parents to Michigan, married to Miss Kate Vanauker of Grattan. They resided in Grattan township until March 1878, when they moved to Alton, Vergennes township to the home where he died. On January 11 1908 they celebrated their golden wedding. To them were born five children, two sons and one daughter. The youngest son died when three years old and the daughter when twelve days old. He carried the mail for nine years after the Pere Marquette railroad was put through rain or shine, cold or hot, always found him on hand for duty until the office here was taken up. He had been in failing health for many years He was a kind and affectionate husband and father and leaves to mourn their loss a wife, son, grandson, great grandson and great-great grandaughter, two brothers and one sister besides a host of friends and neighbors who will greatly miss him. He was always an obliging neighbor and a friend in need. Funeral services were held at the house Sunday forenoon conducted by Rev. Mr Sturgis, Congregational minister of Cannonsburg. Those from out of town at the funeral were Delbert Cusser, Fred Parnes, Mrs. Stephen Sparks and children all of Grand Rapids, Mrs. L. Dumon of Lyons, John and George Purdy of Smyrna.

John Cusser left Monday for his home in Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rennells of Muskegon are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rennells.

Geo. Lewis visited at Muskegon recently.

Ed Houlihan has been laid up with neuralgia.

Frank Keech had an Independence Ball at his hall Monday night.

Elder Hudge will hold services here Sunday, July 10, at 11 a. m.

Chas. Lakeway has been laid up with rheumatism.

Geo. Whitten, Herb Jakeway, Edwin Leatherer and Lee Mead took in the excursion to Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Vantine of Grattan is visiting relatives and friends here.

Hattie Jakeway of Grand Rapids and Mildred Jakeway of Belding spent the 4th with their parents.

Mrs. Anna Hebert of Stagville spent Sunday at Ann Jakeway's.

Luva Church returned last Friday from Lowell.

E. Ring is home again.

HOW TO CURE SKIN DISEASES.

The germs that cause skin diseases must be drawn to the surface of the skin and destroyed.

ZEMO, a clean liquid for external use, will do this and will permanently cure every form of itching skin disease.

For skin eruptions, Write for sample, E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis in Lowell by D. G. Look.

ELMDALE

Mrs. G. Longcor entertained her sister Mrs. Nellie Munson and two children of Lansing over Sunday.

Wm. Chambers and wife were in Lowell Monday.—Mrs. F. Disher of Cadillac and Mrs. H. Fanning of Lowell visited old neighbors here last week. It has been 37 years since Mrs. Disher moved from here. It seemed good to get back.—G. Fisher and family spent the Fourth with Belding friends.—Emerson Grant and daughter Ethel of Topeka, Kas., are visiting Mr. Frank and wife here.

Earl English and wife of South Boston called on the families of Geo. Kihan and Z. Longcor Sunday.—Mr. Acheson and family of South Lowell spent Monday evening with friends here.—Mrs. Lettie Vaughan of Lowell spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Chambers, last week.—Mrs. H. King is visiting her son and family of Berrien Springs.—Loren Stahl is entertaining his cousin, Rosalind Hoffman, of Woodland.—Joe Elson of Grand Rapids visited over Sunday at L. E. Lott's.

We hear a noise like the rushing of many engines and wonder what it all means. Why, Elmdale has four more passenger trains, making 20 passenger trains daily and all stop at Elmdale.

Elmdale is certainly taking the lead. They receive eight mails (!!) and dispatch eight. They have a good grain elevator and the Elmdale produce and evaporator company help to make a market for everything raised on the farm. Two good general stores at Elmdale where you can buy goods just as cheap as anywhere. Elmdale needs a bank and will have one in the near future without doubt. The way things are happening over there is surprising and by the number of people seen on the streets daily looks as though other people thought so, too.

Napoleon's Grit

was of the unconquerable, never-say die kind, the kind that you need most when you have a bad cold, cough or lung disease. Suppose troches, cough syrups, cod liver oil or doctors have all failed, don't lose heart or hope. Take Dr. King's New Discovery. Satisfaction is guaranteed when used for any throat or lung trouble. It has saved thousands of hopeless sufferers. It masters stubborn colds, obstinate coughs hemorrhages, lagrippe, croup, asthma, hay fever and whooping cough and is the most safe and certain remedy for all bronchial affections. 50c., $1.00. Trial bottle free at D. G. Look's.

PARIS-CASCADE.

Sylvester Cook a former resident of Cascade now of South Grand Rapids, still lingers, a great sufferer.

Died at his residence in East Paris June 27, Wm. Sawyer, in the 85d year of his age. He was a soldier of the Civil war. He lost a son nearly two years ago, which his friends think hastened his death. He leaves a widow and one daughter to mourn his loss.

Died at his home in South Cascade, Dennis Broughan in the 67th year of his age. Mr. Broughan was highly respected, quite unassuming in his manner but commanding the respect of all who knew him. He took his first Grand Rapids Saturday morning where they have since resided till the time of his death. He leaves a widow and two children to mourn their loss, Edward who is caring for his mother and Mrs. Marguerite Stoll. Rev. Father Crumley delivered a well deserved eulogy.

Mrs. Fred Vrooman is convalescing slowly. Mr. Vrooman is also improving.—Mrs. John Patterson is improving slowly.—Those to enter tain the 4th were Mr. DeGood and Mark Davis.—Sunday guests here Mine Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spaulding and Miss Edith Davis and Wm. Rains of Grand Rapids.

LOWELL CENTER.

Mrs. John Court was knocked down and run over by a bicycle rider last week and got out on her face.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tomlinson of Ada were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chase.

Luther McConnell visited his brother in Ada recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Traverse visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Court of Yankee Springs.

Frank Blakesle suffered a sunstroke last Thursday.

LOWELL DIST. NO. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cronin of Grand Rapids and sisters, Gertie Denis and Jessie Vanfiatema spent the Fourth with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vanfiatema.

Chas. Yetter has been building a silo for L. J. Post on his farm here.

WANTS

FOR SALE—Organ, coal stove, $50 Stewart range, dining chairs, bedroom suites, beds, springs, mattress, parlor suite, ice cream freezer, three kinds carpets and many other articles. Mrs. C. Winegar

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS—Several choice village homes for sale at bargains prices. A 10 room house in good repair; good cement cellar; good well and cistern; shade; garden; 4 lots; small barn, for $800. Many other village and farm bargains. If you wish to buy or sell call and see us. Springett & Braisted. 5-16-p.

FOUND—A book—"Hiawatha"—left at City hall commencement night. No name attached. Owner get it from Ledger office.

LOST—At Hooker Pioneer picnic by exchange two silver forks. See Mrs. Chas. E. Francisco.

COMMODE FOR SALE—Black walnut, good, strong piece of furniture at a bargain. Phone 239.

HORSE for sale, also 120 acres of land 1 mile west of Keene church. Emerson Davenport. 4p

TO RENT—Small house opposite B. Ryder's. Enquire G. C. Bradfield, 4 Pearl St., Grand Rapids, or Phone 1001. 24p

FOR SALE—One and ½ lots with house, barn and chicken house, block north of City hall. A. J. Brower.

FOR SALE—Neat writing desk. Will fit on any table or stand. A bargain. Phone 239.

FOR SALE—Cement brick—$10.00 a thousand. E. Pullington. Phone 65 14-4-p. tf

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County Kent.

At the matter of the estate of Henry F. Clark Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 16th day of June A. D. 1910 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 16th day of August A. D. 1910, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Saturday the 16th day of October A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated June 15 A. D. 1910.

Harry D. Jewell, Judge of Probate.

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Kent.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the 16th day of June A. D. 1910.

Present: Hon. HARRY D. JEWELL, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine Fisher deceased. Henry J. Howard having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered that the 11th day of July A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court at said time and place to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowell Ledger, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

T ue Copy Harry D. Jewell
Roy Watkins Judge of Probate.
Register of Probate

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Earl Hunter.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE Pere Marquette on SUNDAY JULY 10 to BAY CITY

Train will leave Lowell at 8:05 a. m. Returning, leave Bay City at 6.00 p. m.

Round Trip Fares

To Belding	$ .50
To Greenville	.50
To Alma	1.25
To Saginaw	1.50
To Bay City	1.50

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Regular preaching services next Sunday by the pastor.
Sunday school at noon.
Prayer meeting Wednesday and Saturday at 7.45.
Preaching at Alto Sunday afternoon.

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KEENE CENTER.

Mrs. Laura Tucker and son of College View are visiting her brothers at Cooperville.

Mrs. Sarah Lynch from Oakcosh, Wisconsin, is visiting Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shafer and family from Detroit spent Sunday and Monday at Lewis Daller's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Trask spent Saturday and Sunday at Smyrna with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chase of Smyrna.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shafer and family from Detroit spent Sunday and at Lewis Daller's.

Isreal Cave is helping B. F. Wilkinson with his work.

There was a nice crowd at B. F. Wilkinson's the Fourth. All had a nice time at the picnic. Those from outside were Mr. and Mrs. Moore from Grand Rapids, Iva Moore and her brother from Vergennes, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brown from Otsico, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Strong and two daughters from Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee and Zare Jones and wife from Savanac, Jennie Joseph, Lizzie Kinz, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson from Lowell, Harry Bimmer from Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair of Bowne.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chase from Smyrna spent last Wednesday with her sister Mr. and Mrs. Ed Trask.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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BOWNE—LOGAN

Stephen Weaver has been at West Branch and other points in Michigan the past week.

Earl Starboard went Saturday to the Butterworth hospital Grand Rapids for an operation for appendicitis.

Semiah Weaver and family and Stephen weaver and daughter Emma and Wayne Ford visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starboard Thursday.

H. W. Seese and men are building a barn for George Hooper.

Mrs. Joe Mahler went to Pennsylvania Wednesday to attend her father's funeral.

Mrs. N. Ford and children spent Sunday at Lowell with her son Robert Ford at South Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. William Olthouse and daughter Verne of Freeport were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Seese from Saturday evening till Tuesday morning.

Ray Seese and Orten Hooper were at Lowell Saturday.

Semiah Weaver visited Earl Starboard at the Butterworth hospital Grand Rapids Monday.

It's like a summer breeze; cools, refreshes and builds up your wasting energies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets, at D. G. Look's.

SEELEY CORNERS.

The celebration at the Corners was enjoyed by all and everything passed off quietly.

Cordon Barrows died at his home one half mile from Seeley Corners Friday night after a lingering and painful illness. He has lived here on his farm ever since 1854. Funeral services were held at the home conducted by Rev. Berry of Cascade.

The annual reunion of the Snow school meet the last Thursday in July at the school house.

Remember the 4d society at Mrs. Antoinette' the 13th.

We are glad to see Ethel Shilton so much improved as to be able to attend the celebration Monday evening.

Elmer Richmond and family of Grandville visited at Levi Burras' Sunday.

A POSITIVE CURE FOR DANDRUFF.

ZEMO stops itching instantly and will cure any case of Dandruff or itching scalp. ZEMO destroys the dandruff germs and prevents falling hair. It gives the hair a rich glossy color and leaves the scalp clean and healthy.

For sale everywhere. Write for sample, E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis in Lowell by D. G. Look.

FALLASBURG

Gladys Stanton who has spent the past week at the home of Mrs. Ira Gutstruff returned to Grattan Sunday accompanied by her father James Stanton who spent the 4th with his sisters, Mesdames Mattie and Norton.

Frank Jones and wife entertained over the 4th: Misses Etta and Grace Chapman, Chester Gardner, John Dillow, all of Belding, Mrs. Allie Warner of Butterport and Milton Thomas who has returned from Au Sable where he has been working. A party was given in the evening and a pleasant time reported.

Ralph Wilcox met with an accident Saturday while riding to Lowell and started, thrown from his horse forward and when picked up was unconscious and a gash on his head. He was taken to a Cascade where his wounds were dressed and he is on the mend.

Last Wednesday John Bierl, little son of C. Bierl, was prostrated by the heat while helping in the hay field and had to be carried home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Haisted had a family gathering the 4th, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pottruff and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Pottruff of Lowell.

DeWitt Stanton of Vergennes was home Sunday.

Worthy Willard and family of Lowell spent Sunday here picnicking.

George McLean and family visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Marr near the plant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kahlward visited at the home of Martin Noordooks of Ada Sunday.

Jerome Dufley went to Grand Ledge Monday morning to assist Albert Raimer in haying.

Miss Esther Wyse of Croton who has spent some time with her grandmother Mrs. Bierl near Fox's corners returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dailer of Keene with some Detroit friends were in attending them were enjoying a picnic dinner and fishing on the river Monday.

Bennie Powell of Keene spent the day Monday with his brother Otis at the home of J. E. Tracer.

Work 24 Hours A Day

The busiest little things made are Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar coated globule of health, that changes weakness into strength, languor into energy, brains into mental power; curing constipation, headache, chills, dyspepsia malaria. 25c at D. G. Look's.

CASCADE VILLAGE.

Neva Buttrick and Edwin Quiggle have finished their year's work in the Lowell high school and are home for the summer vacation.

Florence Buttrick came home last week from her school at Fowler, she has resigned her position there to accept one as kindergarten teacher at Beverly, Mich.

Mrs. Cora Quiggle is still on the sick list.

Miss Jeanette Zandees is entertaining Miss Berson of Belding the week.

Miss Rose Washburn has resigned her position as principal of the Grandville high school for a similar one in the Sturgis high school. She leaves Monday for Ann Arbor where she will spend the summer studying at the university.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Watterson entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Burton of Valley City July 2 to 4. They also had company come by auto from Woodland Sunday July 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott J. Thompson and daughter, Carol, and Mrs. E. J. Stow came out by auto from Valley City Tuesday June 28 and visited Mr. Thompson's mother at C. Hendrick's.

Cascade Ladies Aid society are having a two month's vacation.

Mrs. Tease Auble of Grand Rapids is a guest of her sisters, Mesdames A. C. Auble and Sarah French.

Mrs. Fred Vroman was able to attend church Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Heintsleman of Gaines was a guest of her parents and sister, Robert Watterson and wife and Mrs. Byron Patterson and family part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hendricks spent a day with their daughter, Mrs. Mamie Tillyer, finding her improving in health.

Miss Alice Geib is attending the summer school at Kalamazoo.

Rev. D. L. Berry officiated at the funeral of C. D. Barrows Sunday. Burial in Cascade cemetery.

Stephen Gale and family and G. B. Prescott, wife and daughter Edna of Grand Rapids are guests in this village.

Many from here are in attendance at the funeral of John Wride at Ada this Tuesday July 5. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family.

Dr. Clark and wife are entertaining her parents and sisters, and a brother from Chicago.

ECZEMA IS NOW CURABLE.

ZEMO, a scientific preparation for external use, stops itching instantly and destroys the germs that cause skin diseases. Eczema quickly yields and is permanently cured by this remarkable medicine.

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OAK GROVE

Mrs. Hume entertained her father and mother and two brothers, the twins and wives at dinner Sunday Monday, also Mrs. Carrie Miles of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Frank Dohm of Grand Rapids visited at Geo. Kingdom's two days last week.

Leon McCarty and family of Lowell spent the 4th with Mrs. McCarty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philo.

A Frightful Wreck

of train, automobile or buggy may cause cuts, bruises, abrasions, sprains or wounds that demand Bucklen's Arnica Salve—earth's greatest healer. Quick relief and prompt cure results. For burns, boils, sores of all kinds, eczema, chapped hands and lips, sore eyes or corns, it's supreme. Surest pile cure. 25c at D. G. Look's.

SOUTH LOWELL.

Mrs. Adam Behler and daughter, Pauline, went to Freeport last week and Mrs. Behler's sister accompanied them home for an extended visit.

Pearl Behler of Belding visited A. Behler and family a few days last week.

James Sweet is assisting his grand father, E. P. Sweet in haying.

Miss Ida Merriman is attending summer school at Kalamazoo.

Leon Casmer of Belding is spending a few days with Chas. O'Harrow and family.

Harrison and Milton Wilcox spent the 4th in Ionia.

Roy Thompson of Lowell visited at R. M. Wilcox's last week.

R. M. Wilcox was in Grand Rapids on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Ford and family of Logan visited Robert Ford and family Sunday.

James Lind and family of Belding is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Sweet.

Mary Steele has a new piano.

The following ladies were in Grand Rapids Thursday: Mrs. Gottlieb Rittenger, Mrs. Geo. Bartlett Mrs. Howard Bartlett and Mrs. Chris Wieland.

Will Tredenick had a two days barn raising.

The Ladies Aid society met with Mrs. J. H. Rittenger Wednesday and elected officers as follows: President, Mrs. Frank Rittenger, vice pres., Mrs. Chas. O'Harrow, sec., Mrs. J. H. Rittenger, treas., Mrs. Martha Layer.

Mrs. Gottlieb Rittenger and Mrs. Phoebe Barber visited their mother, Margaret near Saranac Monday.

Will Tredenick desires to thank his neighbors for coming here the second day and helping him with his barn raising.

These Pies of Boyhood.

How delicious were the pies of boyhood. No pies now per taste so good. What's changed? The pies? No. It's you. You've lost the strong healthy stomach, the vigorous liver, the active kidneys, the regular bowels of boyhood. Your digestion is poor and you blame the food. What's needed? A complete toning up by Electric Bitters of all organs of digestion—stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels—try them. They'll restore your boyhood appetite and tone or action of food and fairly saturate your body with new health, strength and vigor. 50c at D. G. Look.

McCORDS and WHITNEYVILLE

Frank Hulburt of Traverse City is visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. Mary Douglass and Mrs. Frank Druce.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Leach of Belding spent Saturday and Sunday the 4th with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Snyder.

Vern and Marguerite Cook of Grand Rapids spent from Saturday until Monday at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Sears and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Schenck and Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich were held at the home of Mrs. Sarah Streeter, $11.90.

Mr. McCormick of Ionia is visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Patterson.

Miss Ida Rich of Belding visited her friend, Lena Snyder, from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bloomer accompanied the remains of his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Bloomer, who died last Friday at her home in Alto, to New York for burial.

Beulah Cook is attending normal school at Kalamazoo.

Cut Your Weeds

To owners, possessors or occupiers of land, or any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any land in this state:

Notice is hereby given that all noxious weeds growing on any land in the township of Cascade, county of Kent, or within the limits of any highway passing by or through said township must be cut down destroyed on or before the 15th day of July thereafter and be so cut as often as is necessary to prevent seeding during the year.

Failure to comply with this notice on or before the date mentioned or within ten days thereafter shall make the parties so failing liable for the costs of cutting same and an additional levy of ten per cent, which sum will be collected and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.

Dated, July 2, 1910.

H. O. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Highways of the Township of Cascade, County of Kent.

We can do that job of printing for you now at The Ledger office.

CASH PAID FOR CREAM

We have established a cream station in the building recently occupied by the Lowell laundry. Mr. G. W. Bangs will be our representative and will receive, test and PAY CASH FOR CREAM

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Annual Commencement Is Held at Ann Arbor.

PRESIDENT FAUNCE ORATOR

Honorary Degrees Are Conferred Upon a Number of Notable Personages—Sixty-fifth Annual at State University.

Lansing—The sixty-fifth commencement day exercises of the University of Michigan took place in University hall and the orator of the day, President William H. P. Faunce of Brown university delivered an address so helpful and encouraging to the student about to start out in life that all who heard it remarked upon it. Nearly 900 diplomas were granted.

Mr. Faunce took for his subject "New Callings and Old Duties," and he spoke of the professions open to the graduate today that were unknown of a few years ago.

Honorary degrees were conferred as follows:

Doctor of Laws—Dr. Robert Hall Babcock of Chicago, Justice Aaron V. McAlvay of the Michigan supreme court, Circuit Judge George Hosmer of Detroit and Brig. Gen. James Harvey Kidd of Ionia.

Bachelor of Science—William Henry Rosencrans, Chicago, and Karl Edward Harriman, Chicago.

Master of Arts—Frank Ward Fletcher, a regent of the university, Dr. Alice Hamilton, Chicago; Joseph Villiers Denny, Columbus, O., and Thomas May, Detroit.

Master of Laws—Edward Sidney Rogers, Chicago.

State Protects Waifs.

Children placed in homes by the managers of lying-in hospitals are to be brought under the protection of the state, it is announced by Secretary L. T. Murray, of the state board of corrections and charities. The law requires all persons and organizations of any character which agree to receive or place out by adoption minor children to incorporate under the laws of this state and report to the board regarding the children.

The board is required to inspect all such institutions. No investigation of this character has ever been previously undertaken and it is not known how many such institutions there are in the state nor how many children are annually given away by them.

"The law makes such institutions legitimate," said Mr. Murray, "and we do not propose to attempt to suppress them, but we do propose to see to it that such children are safeguarded and their welfare looked after. There have come to my notice a number of advertisements of lying-in hospitals offering to find homes for children born there, and I know of one or two cases that will bear investigation."

A list of all these institutions will be procured and then an investigation started with a view to bringing about a thorough enforcement of the law.

Question on Nomination of Judges.

How three circuit judges shall be nominated this fall to stand for the election required by law is a question that is perplexing the state legal department. Judge Collingwood of Lansing, Flanigan of Marquette and Withey of Ocean are now called upon to fill vacancies and the law provides that an election shall be held this fall in those circuits. The primary law provides, however, that circuit judges shall be nominated in March, 1911, and elected in April, and makes no provision for nominations this year for that office. It is presumed that the convention system will govern, but the point has not been determined.

Detroiter Heads State Pharmacy Board

At a regular meeting of the Michigan board of pharmacy held at Stag Island, near Port Huron, the following officers were elected: President, William H. Dohaney of Detroit; secretary, Ed. D. Rodgers of Port Huron; treasurer, Thomas J. Campbell of Saginaw. The other members of the board are: E. Collins of Owosso and John D. Muir of Grand Rapids. There were 93 persons in attendance at the meeting.

State Chemists to Protect Children.

Desiring to reduce the mortality rate among infants the state dairy and food commissioner has sent out 16 chemists, whose duty will be to inspect dairies and the supply of milk in many of the larger cities. The workers are under the supervision of State Chemist Robinson. The work will be handled more along the lines of education than an effort of prosecution. July and August are the months in which the crusade will be fought.

Won't Pay Fletcher's Bill.

Commissioner of Labor Richard Fletcher has asked Attorney General Kuhn for an interpretation of the law relative to the payment of charges for sending annual reports from the office of the state labor commission. This year the express charges on the books amounted to $88 and when Fletcher presented a bill to Auditor General Fuller to secure the cash Mr. Fuller refused to draw a warrant, claiming that the money should be taken from the appropriation granted the state labor commission.

Seek to Issue Bonds.

The Saginaw Power company has filed an application with the state railroad commission for authority to issue bonds, which following in general the terms of similar petitions of the other power companies listed in the original power merger plan. Permission was asked to issue bonds to take up outstanding bonds to the extent of $10,000 in new bonds for $9,000 of old. Steps will be taken to appraise the property of the company.

Warden Would Cut Down Paroles.

Lansing.—"It is my opinion, and statistics prove it to be true, that the state board of pardons would perform a better service to the state if it recommended fewer paroles for prisoners who are non-residents of Michigan at the time of their arrest and conviction," says Acting Warden John C. Wenger in Jackson penitentiary. "The records show the greatest percent. of those who violate their paroles and cause us trouble and the state expense in capturing them and transferring them back, are men who were not residents of this commonwealth at the time they were sentenced here.

"It is my experience that such prisoners seldom make good. They are birds of passage who commit a crime here on their way to some other state, and as soon as they are released their first thought is to beat the prison. They run away the first opportunity they get, and then it is up to the prison authorities to find them.

"During the past five years 564 prisoners have been released on parole from the prison in Jackson, of which number 153 have violated it in some way or other. Mr. Wenger's statistics show that 56 of them did so by falling to report.

"The second greatest cause of violation of paroles is the use of intoxicating liquors. The paroled prisoner leaves the institution promising not to drink a drop of alcoholic beverages and understands that if he is caught doing so he will be brought back to prison to serve out the remainder of his sentence. Nearly every man who comes to prison is addicted to the use of liquor."

State Bankers Elect Officers.

When the Michigan State Bankers' association arrived at Parry Sound, Ont., on its annual outing it had a new set of officers. The election had been held on the steamer City of St. Ignace on the way from Port Huron, and resulted in the choice of the following: President, Emory W. Clark, First National bank, Detroit; first vice-president, C. J. Monroe, South Haven; second vice-president, B. F. Davis, Lansing; treasurer, Leon Titus, Traverse City; attorney, Hal H. Smith, Detroit; secretary, Mrs. H. M. Brown, Detroit; members of executive council, J. M. C. Smith, Charlotte; W. H. Acker, Richmond; J. W. O'Brien, Grand Haven; W. F. Gallagher, Owosso; F. E. Beard, Port Huron, and C. Verschure, Holland; vice president for Michigan of American Bankers' association, F. P. Browne, Bay City; member executive council American Bankers' association, Emory W. Clark, Detroit.

Would Issue $500,000 Bonds.

Representatives of the Bay City Power company appeared before the state railroad commission with a petition for permission to issue first mortgage five per cent. 25-year gold bonds to the extent of $500,000 in order to liquidate the outstanding obligations of the corporation which, according to the officials, amount to $429,000.

Hearing some time there is a provision that the company shall for each $10,000 worth of bonds issued, take up bonds of not less than $9,000 of such obligations.

The Bay City company is one of those included in the proposed power merger which caused state officials so much anxiety a few weeks ago. Already five of these corporations, pursuing a different course, have appeared before the state railroad commission singly in an attempt to secure bond issues.

Officers of the G. A. R.

The Michigan department of the Grand Army at its annual encampment held in Holland, chose the following new officers: Department commander, Samuel J. Lawrence of Wayne county; senior vice-commander, Andrew J. Ward, Holland; junior vice-commander, George J. Nash, Marcellus; medical director, Dr. W. W. Root, Mason; chaplain, Rev. W. Putnam, Lansing.

Delegates at large to the national encampment, William G. Gage, Saginaw; alternate, James Armstrong, Saginaw.

Fayette C. Wyckoff will continue as adjutant of the department. Quartermaster W. D. Bostwick is succeeded by E. K. Starkweather of Northville.

Will Inspect Hospitals.

Attorney General Kuhn holds that the state board of correction and charities has supervision over retreats for unfortunate women where these homes are duly incorporated under the laws of Michigan.

For some time Secretary Murray of the state board has endeavored to learn whether the law would permit an official inspection of these homes. Now that the authority has been granted a number will be visited at once.

Examinations for Postmasters.

Civil service examination will be held July 30 for fourth class postmasters, as follows: Kirkland, held at Prudenville; Bridgman, held at St. Joseph; Lyon Manor, held at Roscommon.

Industries Incorporated.

The following articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state: Huron River Manufacturing company, Ann Arbor, $100,000; Tennessee Lumber company, Detroit, $60,000, principal stockholders Kirke Lathrop, Leo M. Butzel and Sanford W. Ladd, Detroit; Commercial Land company, St. Clair, $8,000; Roberts Vacuum Cooker & Manufacturing company, Detroit, $50,000, principal stockholders Ferdinand C. Roberts, Frank G. Roberts and Herman Lieberman, Detroit.

Supreme Court Admits New Lawyers.

One hundred and seventy-five graduates of the law department of the University of Michigan were presented the supreme court to be admitted to the bar: Justice McAlvay in a brief address to the class said he believed in the democracy of education as the hope of the nation. He urged the young men to always keep in mind the benefits they had received from the university and foundation their work, patience and honor are indications of a successful career at the bar.

ROOSEVELT CALLS ON THE PRESIDENT

Present and Former Executive Meet at Beverly.

ALL VISITORS ARE BARRED

Only Persons at Hand During Conference Were Senator Lodge and Secretary Norton—Meeting Is Most Cordial.

Beverly, Mass.—President Taft was at work in his library when the "honk honk" of the Lodge limousine announced the arrival of Colonel Roosevelt. A smile swept over the face of the president as he rose and moved toward the veranda of the Burgess Point cottage.

The next instant outside the door and simultaneously Taft clapped a hand on the Roosevelt shoulder as Roosevelt seized the president's hand in a strong grip.

"Mr. President," exclaimed the one; and "Theodore," cried the other.

"By George" continued Roosevelt, "this is fine. I am mighty glad to see you, Mr. President."

Thus, after a separation of sixteen months, Taft and Roosevelt met again, at the Taft cottage here in Beverly, with only Senator Lodge and Secretary Norton present, all the rest of the world being barred out.

Those who witnessed the meeting say it was characterized by all the cordiality and warm feeling of relations between the two—that there was the best of feeling displayed—and that the hearty grasp of hands that proceeded first from the president and then from Roosevelt as they sat on the veranda and chatted for two hours and a half was indicative of the reinstatement of the old White House days.

As to the talk between them—it covered a wide range of topics and there was a period when the president and Roosevelt drew aside from the rest of the party and conversed in low tones. What was said must remain a secret, however, between them, for Taft declined to make any statement after the colonel had departed and Roosevelt would say only that he had had a most delightful time.

This fact did come out, which may be important in future moves in New York state, that President Taft is to full accord with Mr. Roosevelt in the matter of the Cobb bill for direct primaries. It was not known at the time that the Cobb bill, despite the intervention of Roosevelt, had been defeated by the New York assembly, and Roosevelt had left before that interesting piece of news was received here.

There is believed to have been an agreement reached, however, under which Taft and Roosevelt will act as a unit in New York politics. Roosevelt did not, also, stamp as an "absolute and ridiculous falsehood" the report that he had contemplated asking Hughes to run for governor of New York.

After they had chatted a while on the veranda and they had had their private confab, Mrs. Taft and the children joined the group, which sat on the Salem bay side of the house, looking out to sea. Tea was served there and general talk indulged in until five minutes of six, when the colonel took a reluctant leave.

PRINCE HENRY OFF FOR ARCTIC

Kaiser's Brother Heads Expedition to Arrange for Flight to Pole.

Bremerhaven.—The preliminary expedition to observe conditions in view of Count Zeppelin's polar expedition in 1912 sailed from this port today on the North German Lloyd steamer Mainz. The members of the expedition, who, with their servants, total 24, include Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of the kaiser; Count Zeppelin, Councilor Lewald, who was commissioner from Germany to the world's fair at St. Louis; Professor Hergesell and Explorer Drigalski.

When the expedition arrives in Spitzbergen it will tranship to the arctic steamer Phoenix. The first object of the expedition is to find a suitable headquarters for the Zeppelin dirigible expedition.

Bryan Arrives in Quebec.

Quebec, Que.—William J. Bryan arrived on the steamship Royal George from Bristol, England, accompanied by Mrs. Bryan. He appeared in the best of health. Mr. Bryan refused to discuss politics. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan left at once for Montreal

Cashier Shoots Marshal.

Tahlequah, Okla.—As the result of an old grudge, C. L. Pratt, cashier of the Bank of Kansas, at the town of Kansas, Okla., shot and probably fatally wounded Robert Terry, a former United States deputy marshal in this city Thursday.

Boy Killed at Charivari Party.

Terre Haute, Ind.—Chauncey Heafner, at Jasonville, aged fourteen, was shot and instantly killed by Jennings Wise, aged fourteen, at a charivari party for newlyweds Thursday. Wise says the shooting was accidental.

Ex-Congressman Wachter Dead.

Baltimore, Md.—Former Congressman Frank C. Wachter of this city died Friday at the age of forty-nine years. Mr. Wachter served four successive terms in congress. He was a Republican.

Hyde Denied New Trial.

Kansas City, Mo.—Dr. B. C. Hyde, convicted May 16 of poisoning Col. Thomas H. Swope, the millionaire philanthropist, was Wednesday denied a new trial by Judge Ralph S. Latshaw in the criminal court here.

Congressman Booker is Robbed.

St. Joseph, Mo. — Congressman Charles F. Booker of the Fourth Missouri district was robbed here Tuesday on board a train, and he couldn't even negotiate a ham sandwich at the Union depot lunch counter.

PRIMARY LAW LOSES IN NEW YORK SENATE

Measure Indorsed by Roosevelt Defeated—Seven Republicans Vote With Democrats.

Albany, N. Y.—The direct nomination bill was defeated in the senate as it was in the assembly. It was one of Governor Hughes' "pet" measures and went down to defeat without any debate.

The final vote was 25 ayes to 19 noes, seven Republicans combining with the Democrats against the bill. Twenty-six votes were necessary to pass the bill.

The measure was killed after the amendments proposed by Lloyd C. Griscom, chairman of the New York corporation committee, and indorsed by Theodore Roosevelt had been incorporated in the measure by a vote of 24 to 21. An emergency message from the governor made it possible for the senate to vote on the amended measure.

The result of the fight in the senate was even a more positive refusal to accept Theodore Roosevelt's leadership in the matter than that of the assembly.

The direct tax bill failed of enactment.

GARFIELD SENDS WARM LETTER.

Sounds Insurgent Slogan in Accepting Invitation to Speak.

Cleveland, O.—In accepting an invitation to speak before the new progressive Republican organization of Cleveland on July 11, James R. Garfield, former secretary of the interior and warm friend of Theodore Roosevelt, wrote to the organization a letter defining his attitude on progressive Republicanism.

"It is most timely to consider what the progressive movement means and what action it calls for," wrote Mr. Garfield. "Today political liberty is at stake, and the life of the nation is threatened by great special interests, who would control our political activities for their own benefit, regardless of the common good. There is no half way ground in the fight of today. The special interests must be driven out of politics and kept out. The progressives of today will win the battle."

92 IN THE SHADE AT CHICAGO.

Hottest Day of Year—Eight Die of Heat—Many Prostrations.

Chicago.—July 7 made its entry into Chicago with the hottest temperature of the year, breaking all the records of the hot spell by registering 92 degrees in the shade.

The terrific heat, unrelieved by any appreciable atmospheric disturbance, left a harvest of death and prostrations unequaled by any single day since the hot spell began, about three weeks ago. Before the day was done eight Chicago persons had died and twelve had been taken to hospitals, their homes suffering intensely from the scourge of the sun, while nine persons had been attacked by vicious dogs.

JURYMAN SPARE SUES WAYMAN.

Asks Damages of $50,000 From Chicago State's Attorney.

Chicago.—State's Attorney John E. W. Wayman was made defendant in a suit for $50,000 filed in the supreme court by Attorney Max M. Goodman, representing Charles Spare, one of the jurors who stood for acquittal in the Lee O'Neil Browne bribery trial. The suit charges slander.

Other jurors who were criticised by the state's attorney following the mistrial of Browne, are expected to take similar action.

WRECKED BY A BROKEN BOLT.

Wabash Fast Mail Goes Into Ditch—One Man Killed.

Montgomery, Mo.—Wabash fast mail No. 1 was wrecked near this city and the accident was caused by a broken bolt on a truck. Clifford Newman of St. Louis was killed and four others were injured.

Four cars and engine left the track, and it was remarkable that hundreds were not killed or injured.

DIPLOMAT DIES OF APOPLEXY.

Ove Gude, Norway's Minister, Is Victim of Swift Death.

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.—Mr. Ove Gude, the envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of Norway, and one of the most popular members of the diplomatic corps at Washington, died suddenly of apoplexy last night in his summer residence in this resort.

Loses Eye Making Fireworks.

Bloomfield, N. J.—Frank Christian, thirty years old, tried to manufacture home-made fireworks in a shed in the rear of his home here. In an explosion which resulted, both his eyes were blown out and he was otherwise terribly burned. He will die.

Masked Bandit Robs Stage.

Montrose, Col.—A masked bandit early Friday held up the mail and express stage which runs between Placerville and Norwood in San Miguel county. Several passengers were lined up along the road and compelled to surrender their valuables.

Mispah, Minn., Wrecked by Fire.

International Falls, Minn.—Fire Friday practically wiped out the town of Mispah, 40 miles south of here. Many business houses and residences were burned. Loss, $60,000.

No Increase on Burlington.

Chicago.—A report that the Burlington road is contemplating an increase in the pay of its unorganized employes was emphatically denied by President Miller Thursday.

Dixie Population Grows.

Washington.—That the census of 1910 will show the southern states, including Missouri and Oklahoma, to have made a gain in population of 21 per cent. since 1900, is the estimate given out by the Southern Commercial congress.

MICHIGAN BREVITIES

Lansing.—An ante-Fourth of July celebration resulted in the destruction by fire of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hilton, at 1124 Alsdorf street, and the cremation of Mrs. Hilton's old son, Arthur. While Mrs. Hilton was in the yard swarming bees, Arthur proceeded to play with matches and fireworks on the floor near a can of gasoline borrowed from a neighbor but a few minutes before. The gasoline was ignited by the fireworks and exploded, enveloping the child in flames, and the small wooden structure was on fire inside when the blaze was discovered by the unfortunate mother, who made unsuccessful attempts to rescue her child. The house was owned by Mr. and Mrs. Hilton, who have a large family of children and are in poor circumstances. They both work at common labor. Their financial loss is estimated at $500.

Grand Rapids.—At a conference between the officials of the street railway company and a special committee of the council, an agreement was reached in a controversy of long standing. Hereafter the company will pay half of the salaries of all crossing policemen, carry policemen, firemen, detectives and officials of the board of health and boards of public works free. These items, which totaled $4,850 last year, were conceded by the company, providing the city agreed to pay the other half of the crossing policemen's salaries. This amounts to $3,000 per year.

Battle Creek.—Completing their sessions here, the Michigan Red Men chose Lansing as the place for the next biennial meeting and elected officers as follows: Charles E. Clippert, St. Charles, great sachem; W. A. Van Norman, Port Huron, great senior sagamore; Charles A. Locke, Battle Creek, great junior sagamore; John H. Fisher, Detroit, great chief of records; A. Vandermulen, Grand Rapids, great keeper of wampum, and F. H. Elwell, Grand Rapids, great representative to the United States council.

Mt. Clemens.—Another proposition for the Elks' home is made by the owners of the Fisher farm on the outskirts of Mt. Clemens. They offer to the Business Men's association a 25-acre tract of land on the Clinton river, with a graceful slope to the stream and frontage on the Gratiot road. The price asked is $25,000, but the proprietors offer to subscribe $10,000 toward a fund for its purchase. The site is much better than the one offered for the T. B. M. A. home, being larger and more pleasantly located.

Bay City.—Henry Busking, aged thirty, thought he was of Fort Wayne, was found dead in a drifting rowboat on Saginaw bay, near Wenona beach, having committed suicide by shooting himself. He was a mechanical traveler and left a letter addressed to Otto Young & Co. of Chicago. The letter to Chicago included with it a letter to Sam Franks, the dead man's sister, paying that he had $4,000 in Fort Wayne "no, of which she could make better use than he."

Northville.—Notice was given that all obnoxious weeds in the township must be cut inside of one month or the work would be done and charged very heavily to the taxpayer. It has been said that there are more weeds, such as burdock and mullein, in Northville township than in all of the other Wayne county townships put together. On some farms whole fields are covered with mullein and wild mustard.

Port Huron.—Arrested at Flint for Detroit officers some time ago and discharged by Judge Connolly of the latter city, from a charge of bigamy, for lack of jurisdiction, Christian Lance was brought here to answer to a like charge, proferred by one of his wives, Mrs. Maud Labeau, whom he is said to have married in Bay City.

Lansing.—An echo of the settlement of the famous million-dollar suit of the state against the Michigan Central railroad was heard when the state board of auditors paid Expert Thompson of Ann Arbor $5,000 for his services in securing data for the trial.

Kalamazoo.—Mrs. Edna Dufferin has begun suit against the Kalamazoo Hack & Bus company for $10,000 damages for injuries she alleges she received when she was run down by one of the hacks of the company a few months ago.

Ionia.—David W. Jennings of Sturgis, who has been in a Grand Rapids hospital until recently, died at Stanton. He was sixty-five years old and was an old resident of Ionia, where he lived many years. Deceased was for many years in business in Middleville.

Ann Arbor.—Nearly one thousand alumni were in Ann Arbor from all over the world to observe Alumni day at the university. There was no special program, but general reunions all over the campus.

Cheboygan.—Oliver Morrow was caught in an ice chopping machine at Hilborn's fish packing house and his arm was torn off.

Cadillac.—At the twenty-fourth annual convention of the Wexford county W. C. T. U. the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Caroline Bailey, Manton; vice-president-at-large, Mrs. W. A. Evans, Cadillac; recording secretary, Mrs. Alice Lentz, Cadillac; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Martha McGregor, Manton; treasurer, Mrs. Lucinda Patterson, Cadillac.

Kalamazoo.—As the result of the discovery of five smallpox cases in this city, a general vaccination of every one in the city has been ordered by the board of health.

Grand Rapids.—Before the thirty-second annual convention of the Michigan Music Teachers' association adjourned a resolution was passed calling upon the legislature to enact a law compelling all music teachers to register. The specifications are that all who teach music, either piano, violin or vocal, shall have had at least four years, of ten months each, of the study of music in some school of music.

Calumet. — Alfred Mikkola, aged forty-five, was killed by falling from the scaffolding on a residence. Oscar Stromback was seriously injured.

SQUAW CLEARS A COURT WITH BUTCHER KNIFE

ATTACKS SHERIFF AND CHASES OTHER OFFICIALS AROUND A BLOCK.

Gass Valley, S. D.—With a butcher knife Mrs. Stone Graybear, a Sioux Indian squaw, cleaned out the district court and for an hour held the room against the sheriff, the judge and all comers. Eventually the sheriff got possession of his scalping knife and took the woman in custody.

Mrs. Graybear had trouble with her husband, Jim Graybear, who appealed to the court for a divorce. The case came up for trial, Graybear making a charge of cruelty against the woman. The squaw was on hand dressed in full Indian costume, her head and shoulders covered with a red blanket. Through a narrow slit in in the covering her black eyes shot arrows at her dissatisfied husband.

Started After the Officer.

Graybear began his testimony, telling of his squaw's cruelty to him, when the woman arose and denounced the statement as false. The sheriff interfered and Mrs. Graybear pulled a butcher knife from beneath her blanket and started after the officer. In two minutes she was in possession of the courtroom, her husband having led the exodus. Then she sallied forth and chased court officials all around the block.

After an hour's fight the woman wearied and finally was arrested. The court, impressed by cruelty and Graybear got his divorce without further testimony. Mrs. Graybear was graduated from Hampton institution, in Virginia, and while at that school was one of its brightest lights. After her return to the reservation she returned to the blanket.

NEW SPORT ON PRAIRIES

Motor Car is Used in Chasing Fleet Jack Rabbits and the Wily Coyote.

Topeka, Kan.—The faithful horse is going into the discard in Kansas as a necessary adjunct of a hunting party or the chase of a horse thief. Motor cars are coming so plentiful in the state and they have been found so much better in chasing the fleet jack rabbit or driving the cunning coyote to its lair or catching those who take horses and mules from stables without the owners' permission that the horse is being relegated to the rear.

Rabbit and wolf hunts have long been a common sport in Kansas. Men and women with horses and dogs and have a rabbit or wolf drive. Now a party of a dozen men in three or four motor cars goes out and makes more successful drives than a hundred men with horses.

A wolf hunt with a motor car is about as exciting sport as any one would care to indulge in. In middle and western Kansas are thousands of acres of wheat and corn lands without a fence. Often one can drive five or ten miles across the country and encounter few fences except those around a small pasture on each farm. Motorists can drive miles and miles across the prairie lands of the western half of this state without running into a fence or creek or ditch.

It is not much trouble to stir up a coyote or prairie wolf in western Kansas, and when the motor party sees one the race begins. The coyote runs in a large circle. He does not dodge back and forth or zigzag much, so it is comparatively easy matter for the driver to keep right behind Mr. Coyote. But that motor car must be moving along at a lively gait. The coyote can hump along across the prairie at about 30 miles an hour, and he can also do some tall spurting when necessity demands.

In the days of coyote hunting with horses and dogs the wolves were never driven to their lairs. Nothing but an hour's driving with a motor car gives the coyote about all the running he cares for and he makes for his den. But his rest is not long, because the hunters pour some gasoline into the hole, the animal pops out, and the race is renewed across the country until a good shot ends the life of the pest of the prairie.

Unreliable Proverb.

The milkman was blue. "It don't pay to take too much stock in proverbs," he said, "My father taught me that early to bed and early to rise was the key to prosperity. I believed him, and took it on now. I go to bed before supper and get up at one o'clock in the morning, and the only party getting rich out of it is the milk trust."

Modern Marriage.

Every marriage should have a business manager, a cool, sensible man to see that the parties are properly mated. The instinct to the marriage will attend to the love but neglect the business end of the match, which is more important.—Atchison Globe.

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"When my boy was six years old, he suffered terribly with eczema. He could neither sit nor lie quietly in bed, for the itching was dreadful. Its wounds irritate spots by scratching with his nails and that only made them worse. A doctor treated him and we tried almost everything, but the eczema seemed to spread. It started in a small place on the lower extremities and spread from day to year until it very nearly covered the back part of his leg to the knee.

"Finally I got Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Pills and gave them according to directions. I washed them in the morning and that evening, before I put him to bed, I used them again and the improvement even in those few hours was surprising. The eczema seemed to be so much less. I used two boxes of Cuticura Ointment, the same of the Pills and of the Soap and my boy was cured. My son is now in his seventeenth year and he has never had a return of the eczema.

"I took care of a friend's child that had eczema on its face and limbs and I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. They acted on the child just as they did on my son and it has never returned. I would recommend the Cuticura Remedies to anyone. Mrs. A. J. Cochran, 1823 Columbia Ave., Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 20, 1909."

A Teacher in the Making.

She was a popular young normal student, who had been to a party the night before, and as a consequence, was "not prepared" in the geography class.

The woman instructor, true to her method of drawing upon the general knowledge of a student rather than to permit a failure, after eliciting two or three unanswered questions from her fair but jaded disciple, asked for the products of China.

The student hesitated. "Tea," she asserted, preparing to sit down.

"Yes, and what else?" encouraged the instructor.

The young woman smiled with sweet hopelessness.

"Now you can mention others, I am sure. Just think about it."

"Tea," drawled the flute-like voice of the pretty girl, "and," puckering her forehead with an intellectual tour de force, "and laundry work."—Youth's Companion.

For the Dog's Sake.

"Where are you going for your summer vacation this year?" asked Mrs. Morrow.

"O, dear, I've not made up my mind yet," sighed Mrs. Rich wearily. "I want to find some quiet, restful spot, where my dear little French poodle can get plenty of fresh air."

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HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Don Parker was in Greenville on the 4th.

Golden Greene was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Allie Stone was in Grand Rapids the Fourth.

Elmer Howk of Ionia is visiting relatives here.

Ella and Leonard Wayson have gone to Detroit.

Nelson Roberts spent the Fourth in Grand Rapids.

Pat Delaney and Carl Roberts were in Ionia Monday.

Mrs. D. C. Macham was in Lansing a few days last week.

Mrs. Eunice McVean visited her son in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Frisbe and son Willie spent the 4th at Fruitport.

Earl McNaughton visited his sister in Sparta this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lalley spent Monday in Lake Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arehart spent the Fourth in Petoskey.

Miss Irma Scott and Hazel Taylor spent the 4th in Parnell.

Dan Shiels of Hubbardston is visiting his brother, T. F. Shiels.

Misses Olive Bissell and Rose Delaney were in Ionia Monday.

Grant Jackson and Gordon Delaney were in Grand Rapids Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Ogg and family spent the 4th in Grand Rapids.

Miss Neva Coons of Grand Rapids is visiting her grandparents here.

Mrs. Susan Berger of Erie, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Silsby.

Born, in Lowell July 6, to Mr. and and Mrs. Leon McCarty, a daughter.

J. W. Wason was in Detroit a couple of days the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Rouse are spending this week in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Cholerton and daughter, Isabelle, spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. John Lasby and daughter, Anna made a trip to Grand Rapids yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Comstock spent Thursday and Friday with relatives in Smyrna.

Born in Kahlotus, Wash., July 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peckham, an 8-lb. son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hamilton spent the 4th at Murray lake. Joe says they bit good.

Miss Marguerite Southard returned Tuesday from a few day's visit in Grand Rapids.

Clarence Collar attended the musical convention in Grand Rapids last week Thursday.

Miss Katharine Hine of Detroit is spending a week with her cousin, Mrs. H. J. Coons.

Mrs. Geo. Comstock has been entertaining her granddaughter and nephew of Grand Rapids.

Miss Clara West of Grand Rapids spent Sunday and the 4th with her friend, Mrs. David Mange.

Mrs. Mary Cantrill of Grand Rapids has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Newell Hand this week.

Miss Vesta Smith was in Grand Rapids several days last week in attendance at the State music teachers' convention.

Mrs. R. W. Graham and grandchildren Victor and Edwinna Obernaur are spending a few days in Anderson, Ind.

Miss Ethel White attended the State Musical convention in Grand Rapids last week and remained this week to visit friends.

Miss Emily Svenson is attending summer school at Kalamazoo. She has been engaged to teach the Fallasburg school next year.

Chas. Rickershouser of California who is attending the University at Ann Arbor spent last week with his friend, Rudolph VanDyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Donaker and children spent the Fourth with Mrs. Charles Barnhill in Woodbury. Willis remained for the summer vacation.

Mrs. P. H. Schneider of Akron, O., is spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Winegar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hill and two little girls spent Sunday and the 4th with relatives in Greenville.

Misses Clara Bergin, Lotta Ruben and Florence King went to Saginaw to spend the 4th with friends.

Chas. Fisher of Evanston joined his wife here Saturday and they returned to their home Monday.

L. F. Severy was called to Dimondale last Saturday by the death of his mother, Mrs. Myron Severy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Davis of Cleveland spent the 4th with J. A. Mattern. Mrs. Davis is Jake's niece and will make an extended visit with him and Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Spayde spent from Monday till Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Macham.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Bert McPlarmid of Ionia county and Maudie Coonrod of Ada.

John and Albert Roth, Albert and Eugene Howard made a trip to Grand Rapids in their canoe Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Christenson of Grand Rapids spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chambers

Rev. Father Behan came to Lowell Sunday morning in an automobile and said mass in St. Mary's church. He was accompanied by M. J. Whalen and son, John, and Mr. Eckhardt, all of Grand Rapids.

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About the house in warm weather a kimono of thin washable material is an absolute necessity. Here is a good pattern for this purpose. It is very full, shirred on the shoulders with loose flowing sleeves. It is

Ladies' Home Journal Pattern No. 5206, Price 15 Cents

To make this kimono we would recommend a neat flowered dimity or batiste. We have a fine assortment of these beautiful and serviceable materials both in floral patterns and in plain colors to match.

10 and 15c a yard.

Serpentine Crepe 15c.

The Ladies' Home Journal Pattern No. 5309

Princess Slips and Combination Suits

of Cambrics, Nainsooks and Barred Lawns, nice cool garments of fine quality material trimedm with val lace, fine embroideries and insertions. Exceptional values at $1.00 and more.

Muslin Gowns 50c

Made of good quality muslin, slip over style, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon laced beading short sleeves, ...50c

Several styles including, high neck style with long sleeves, slip over styles with short sleeves, extra sizes etc. in cambrics, barred muslins and nainsooks, lace and embroidery trimmed, all sizes $1.00

Finest grades at $1.50, $2.00, $2.50

The Ladies' Home Journal Pattern No. 5167

Cool Tailored Waists for Summer Wear

Pure Linen, Linene, Percales, Lawns and several linen finished cloths in white and fancy striped patterns. Each waist is made very full size and all the seams are finished, laundried collars and cuffs, special values at

98c, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00

50c Gingham Petticoats, wide flounce, blue tan and pink 50c.

Ribbon Specials

4 inches wide, fancy warp print all silk Ribbons, all colors, newest patterns, special - - - 15c

6 inches wide, fancy all silk Ribbons, all colors, new designs, heavy weight, regular 40c quality, Special - - - - - 25c

Hammocks

Our second big line this season—The first shipment duplicated. These hot days call for hammocks, shade and fans—we have the hammocks and the fans.

Close woven hammock as low as $1.00, with swing, pillows and wide valance. Others at $2.00, $3.00, $4.00, $5.00 and $5.50.

Gauze Vests, Pants & Union Suits

In both regular and extra sizes.
Narrow ribbed Vests, low necked, sleeveless 10c
Narrow ribbed Vests, wing sleeves or sleeveless 15c
Very fine lisle, narrow ribbed, sleeveless, fancy embroidered net yoke..... 25c
Union Suits at..... ..... 25c and 50c
Pants..... 25c
Long sleeve Vests, high neck extra grade 25c

Summer Corsets

Third big lot of those cool Corsets now on sale, sizes 18 to 30, made with hose supporters front and side. Regular 40c Corset, our special price, 29c.

We have a large assortment of corsets for big people, sizes up to 36, and warranted not to break.

Kayser Silk Gloves

Sold with a positive guarantee that the tips will outwear the gloves. Tan, brown, grey, black and white.

Kayser's Chamoisette Gloves, washable gloves, woven to look like chamois skin, may be washed any number of times..... 50c

7c - SHEETING - 7c

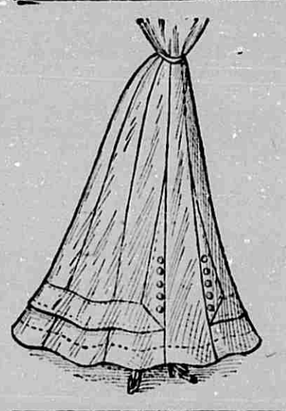
We have been able to secure one more bale of that FINE QUALITY UNBLEACHED COTTON to sell at

7c the yard

Cool Gauze Lisle Hose

No. 5216 an exceptionally fine gauze-like hose for 25c. This hose is made of fine yarns, fast-color dye, double thread sole - - - - - 25c

15c Hose, plain or ribbed top, black or white sole, good wearing hose and not too thick for hot weather wear - - - - - - - - 15c



White Linene Skirts

Three snappy styles, well made of heavy linene, white only, size 22 waist measure and up, finished with pearl buttons and bands.

$1.00, $1.50

Parasols For women and for children. At $1.00. Big assortment of white and fancy colored Parasols, 8 and 10 rib frames, hardwood mission style handles, $1.60. At $1.50, Pongee Parasols, values that usually sell at $2 and more, 8 and 10 rib frames, fancy set-in borders of silk, hardwood handles, $1.50.

For children—Every little girl wants a parasol. We have them in all colors, plain and with set-in borders, good strong frames, 10c, 25c, 50c

In Collar's ad last week it should have read "$2.00 waists special price $1.69. $1.50 waists special price $1.29.

The printing of the Clover Leaf club year book for the 1910-11 season has been placed with THE LEDGER printers.

Austin Coons has returned from his studies at Big Rapids and will help out at the Grand Trunk depot for the next six weeks.

The Birthday club had a very pleasant time at the home of Mrs. James McPherson Monday. There were sixteen members present.

Mrs. F. W. Braisted visited Alto friends last Thursday and met her cousin, Mrs. John Triplet, of Central Lake for the first time in twenty-two years.

Catharine says the teacher in Toledo does not let them sing, "Michigan, My Michigan," and when she raises her hand and asks to sing it the pupils all laugh.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hicks left yesterday for a two week's visit with the latter's people at Northampton, Enfield, Springfield, Ware and Amherst, Massachusetts.

The Clover Leaf club will hold its annual picnic on the lawn of Mrs. Harvey Coons Tuesday afternoon, July 12. All interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Mr. and Mrs. James LeClear of Detroit spent the 4th with F. W. Braisted and family. Mr. and Mrs LeClear were only recently married and were on their honeymoon.

Robert Abbott of Belding has moved here and interested himself in the auto and machine repair business with Chas. Billenger. He occupies the Benj Morse house.

The announcement that the Keene Ladies aid society would sell cigars at the celebration on the Fourth was a mistake. None were offered. No offense intended by anyone.

On the eve of their departure for the East, Mr and Mrs. S. P. Hicks were notified of the sudden death at Decatur of the latter's brother, Austin Dwight, who was overcome by heat. Mr. and Mrs. Hicks went to Decatur to attend the funeral before proceeding on their journey.

The Lowell Lumber Co. has begun work on the foundation for a new house between the Carson and Ayres houses on Water street. It will have six rooms and a bath and will be to rent. Mr. Carson says that other houses may follow, as workmen in the factories are saying that unless they have houses for their families they will not stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watts entertained the Preferred Life Insurance company at their summer home, Fairview cottage, all day Saturday. About thirty-five were present. A sumptuous dinner was served at noon by the Ladies Aid of the M. E. church after which a program was given consisting of music, speeches, etc. One of the members was an impersonator and entertained the company with several representations of foreign characters, etc. Mr. Bready came in on the 3 p. m. train and he also took part in the program. The men played ball and all went in for a genuine good time. Supper was also served by the ladies and the guests returned to their homes in Grand Rapids on the 9.37 train.

Editor Jackson of the Journal spent the Fourth in Grand Rapids.

Miss LaVanche Moore of Grand Rapids has been visiting Lowell friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. E. White, Elgin, Ill., July 4, a 12 lb. daughter.

George Winegar of Morrice visited his mother, Mrs. C. C. Winegar, here last week.

Lowell ball tossers defeated Greenville here today 5 to 3 in a sharp, well-played game.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Winegar and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas spent the 4th in Detroit.

U. B. Williams is nicely settled in his new place of business and has a handsome store, as usual.

Miss Annie Maynard has recovered from her recent illness so as to be able to get about again.

Telephone the news to THE LEDGER and help make the home paper interesting. Office phone 200, residence 239. Either place will do. tf

To insure insertion in the current week, ads., items, notices, etc., should be in not later than Wednesday noon. If you want to do us a favor, get your stuff in Monday morning. We can not do two or three days work after Wednesday and get the paper out on time.

Band Concert.

The following numbers will be given by the Lowell City Band on Tuesday evening July 12 at 8 o'clock.

March "Crystal Springs Park," Miller Polka, "Bon Ton," cornet solo. Overture "Birth of Love," Sangler. "Azalea Waltz," Holmes. "The Minstrel King," March, Norton. "Cupids Arrow," Govotte de Concert, DeVere. Mazurka "Heather Bells," Losey. "Muttering Fritz," characteristic march, Losey.

E. S. White, conductor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

At the morning service, 10.30 a. m., subject: "What did our Lord's Illustrations illustrate in Matt. 13th chapter? This is a very important scripture and one that ought to command attention. Be sure and attend this service

For the evening service, 7.30, you are earnestly invited to listen to the church sermon in the series on fundamentals that all evangelical churches hold—"The Purposes of the Incarnation." Our evening meeting is short and to the point. Step in for a little while and then think of these great themes as a life study.

The second annual recital by the pupils of Miss Lotta Ruben was held at her home last Thursday. Those from out of town taking part in the program were the Misses Cora Camp, Marjorie Carr, Ellen Van Wiltenberg, Irene Pease, Lena Hansen and Mae Burtch.

Grave Charge Against Ada Farmer.

George Lavine, an Ada farmer, was arraigned in justice court yesterday on a charge of misusing Ethel Stoner, his 14-year-old ward. Lavine demanded an examination and was held under $600 bail to await a hearing. The case grew out of an investigation by Under Sheriff Pettis and Probation Officer Hyde on complaints made by neighbors. —Herald, June 29.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The subject of the morning sermon next Sunday will be "The True Vine and The Branches." This sermon will set forth the great truth as was illustrated by our Lord of the necessity of our abiding in the Vine. This is one of the most important truths in the whole realm of religious truth. If you prefer to get the most out of this sermon read carefully before coming to the service Isaiah 5, 1-7, and also Psalms 80, 8-15. These passages show the Jewish idea of the vine.

The evening service will be an evening with our hymns and hymn-writers being a service of "Hymnology."

Grand Trunk Railway System.

Sunday excursion to Grand Rapids July 10, 1910.

Train leaves Lowell 9.47 a. m.

Returning leaves Grand Rapids 6.40 p. m.

Round trip fare 50 cts.

Notice to Taxpayers

Village taxes are now due and payable at my office

Earl Hunter, Village Treasurer

THE PANTATOREM TAILOR SHOP.

Ladies' and gents' suits cleaned pressed. Velvet collars put on overcoats, garments relined, buttons and rubber tissue, French dry cleaning, straw hats cleaned, and shoes cleaned.

On the bridge. Goods called for and delivered. First class work and low prices. Will Stone.

Open air concert by Lowell band Tuesday evening. tf

Lowell Markets

Corrected July 6, 1910

Wheat, 60 lb	1 00
Oats, per bu	37
Corn "	60
Rye "	65
Buckw't "	55
Beans, hand-picked	2 00
Hay, baled, per ton	13 00
Corn and Oats per ton	28 00
Middlings per ton	27 00
Corn Meal per ton	27 00
Bran per ton	26 00
Flour per bbl	5 60
Buckwheat flour per bbl	6 00
Butter per lb	20
Eggs	17
Lard	15
Potatoes	10
Timothy	2 50
Clover seed per bu	7 00 8 00
Beef live per cwt	2 00 @ 5 00
Beef dressed per cwt	6 00 @ 7 00
Calves live	3 00 @ 6 00
Veal dressed per lb	8 @ 9
Sheep live	3 00 @ 4 00
Lambs	@ 7 00
Pork live	8 00 @ 9 00
Pork dressed	11 00 @ 11½
Fowls live	@ 13
Fowls dressed	@ 15
Hides	@ 7 50
Wool	@ 21

New York and Return $25.50 via Grand Trunk-Lehigh Valley Double Track Route

Daily excursions until September 30th, 1910. Thirty days limit. All tickets valid via Niagara Falls. Liberal stopover. For further particulars apply to

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