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Pan Candies, Cream Caramels, Chocolates, Kisses.

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Soap guaranteed. One deal to a person.

See us for Christmas Specialties.

F. W. Nelson

The Golden Rule Store.

The Literary Club

The L. L. C. held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Will Stone Wednesday, Dec. 8.

At 3 o'clock the meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. W. S. Winegar. After the regular routine of business the following program was given.

"Authors, Artists and Musicians," Miss Audie Post, "Michigan Mines and Forests" Mrs. J. S. Hooker. Roll call was responded to by facts of Michigan.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. S. Winegar January 4, 1911, with Mrs. D. A. Henderson of Oshkosh as director. A full attendance is desired.

—[Com.]

Notice F. & A. M.

The adjourned annual communication of Lowell Lodge No. 90 F. & A. M., will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 20, 1910 at which time the annual election of officers will take place and life membership certificates will be presented.

R. E. Springett, Secretary pro tem.

Figs and dates at Clark's

THE PROPER THING

Neighboring Work of Smyrna People Recognized by Village Council.

Last Wednesday the village council entertained the Smyrna people who saved the village light and power plant from fire. There were eighteen guests including Messrs. Chase, Reed and Benson of the Citizens Light company of Belding.

A chicken pie dinner was served at the City hall by H. Strong and the repast was followed by a program of impromptu speeches with President Look as toastmaster.

Responses were made by Messrs. Winegar, Chase, Reed, Peckham and Mangle.

Although the affair was a pleasant one and should serve to cement the good will that already exists between the people of Lowell and those of Smyrna.

OLD SOLDIER RESTS

Orren Ford 71 Years a Kent County Resident.

Orren Ford died at the old homestead in Grattan, December 10, aged 72 years and 8 months. Funeral services were held at the Alton church Tuesday, conducted by Pastor W. D. Ogg; burial at Alton cemetery.

Orren Ford was born in Clark county, Indiana, April 10, 1838. At the age of one year he moved with his parents to Grattan township, Kent county, where he lived until Aug. 11, 1862, when he enlisted in company B, 25th Michigan Infantry and served his country until the close of the war, when he received an honorable discharge and returned home.

He married Elvira Foster July 17, 1866. Together they lived on the old homestead until her death, July 9, 1896.

January 11, 1899, he married Emma Dawson of Lowell and resided here the remainder of his life.

Besides his widow he is survived by two brothers, Jake of Truant and George of Vergennes township, two sisters, Ellen Helmer of Grand Rapids and Almada Jones of Stanton, one son, Clarence, who now resides on the old farm, three daughters, Iza Bliss of Belding, Iva Rennells of Grand Rapids and Sylvia Rennells of Stanton, one step-daughter, Belle Dawson of Lowell and a number of grandchildren.

Being of a kind and jovial disposition and always ready to help those in need or distress he leaves a large circle of friends to mourn his loss. —[Com.]

Hill Folks Will Light Up.

The Village Council has determined to run a line to the hill district and let the residents of that part of the district in on the lighting proposition.

These citizens in that district will have their homes wired for electric lights.

Chris Geher, Chet Leary, Wm. Deering, Morris Johnson, C. Kniffin. The Lumber company's new house is also wired.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to those who assisted us and to those who would have assisted us had it been necessary, to the singers, to the scholars of this district school for their thoughtfulness and for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Merriman.

All Wooltex coats reduced prices at Payne's.

KEENE PIONEER GONE

Benjamin W. Sage Died at Daughter's Home in Fallsburg.

Benjamin Sage, the particulars of whose death and burial are given by our Fallsburg Scribe, was born in Canada, June 20, 1837 and came with his parents to Michigan when but a small child, living in Lapeer county several years, after which he removed to Keene, Ionia county, where he spent the remainder of his life with the exception of a year that he was in the employ of the government drawing supplies for the soldiers, and about sixteen months he lived in Fallsburg where he was living when summoned home.

He experienced religion about twenty-two years ago and joined the Methodist church of which he was a member at the time of his death.

He was married to Mary E. Johnson in March 1871. To this union one child was born, a daughter, Mrs. Nellie Sayles of Grand Rapids, besides whom he leaves one brother, James O. of LeGrand, Oregon, and three sisters, Mrs. Eunice Richmond of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Charlotte Denny and Mrs. Jane Sherrard of Fallsburg and one grandson, Glenn Sayles, besides a host of relatives and friends.

"Suffer Little Children to Come Unto Me."

This community was grieved Tuesday afternoon by the sudden death of Kenneth, 4-years-old son of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. White of spasmodic croup.

Though taken ill only that morning the trouble seemed very severe from the first and all that medical skill could do was of no avail.

The little fellow seems to have been unfortunate in many ways during his brief life, his last mishap occurring when he fell and broke his arm but a few weeks ago.

Funeral services will be held at the home this afternoon conducted by Rev. S. T. Morris of Grand Rapids.

Auction Sale.

See Wilbur Moon's advertising on the supplement of this issue, Sale Dec 20. Complete particulars in adv. No hunting up a telephone pole on the northeast corner of a blizzard to read that. This is the way to advertise a sale put your bill in a thousand tributary homes costs \$3.75 with 150 bills thrown in. THE LEDGER does the business.

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CONGREGATIONAL

"The Near and the Far Hereafter" will be the subject next Sunday morning at the Congregational church. In every thoughtful mind there is interest in the future, the future that lies beyond the earthly life. There are three stages of human existence the earthly stage, the life between death and Judgment and the life after Judgment. For our evening subject, "Pioneers of our faith." No one should miss the preaching services of the day. Noon, Men's Bible class, subject "The Gospel that is intended for humanity, 6:30-7 pm Y.P.S.C.E. Leader Latelle Ecker, subject "If we really love Jesus." Welcome to our meetings.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

There will be services at St. Mary's church Sunday morning Dec. 18 at 10 a. m. Benediction at 7.30 p. m. and mass Monday morning at 7 o'clock.

A PIONEER GONE

Nathan Blair's Long, Useful, Honorable Life Closed on Earth.

Nathan Blair died at the home of his son U. W. Blair in Lowell township, Friday Dec. 9, aged 86 years. Funeral services were held at the house Monday afternoon, Rev. W. D. Ogg officiating. Burial at Oakwood cemetery in the lot prepared by Mr. Blair for himself and departed wife.

Nathan Blair was born October 15, 1824, in Putnam, Washington county, New York, and came to Michigan with his parents when they settled on a farm in Gaines Kent county.

In 1850 he married Rebecca Krum and settled on a farm in Ada township where they experienced many hardships of pioneer life. From this union four children were born, two sons and two daughters, one dying in infancy. In 1865 they moved to Lowell township to the farm where he died. He resided there until 1895 when he moved to Lowell where he resided until the death of his wife December 5, 1906 since then he has lived with his children.

In his last illness he was confined to his bed only about five days.

He was the last of a large family, six brothers and one sister. He is survived by three children, Mrs. N. P. Allen, Mrs. J. T. Jones, and N. W. Blair all of Lowell, also by two granddaughters, one grandson and one great granddaughter, Mrs. W. F. Murphy of Traverse City, Mrs. C. R. Streeter and Earl Jones all of Lowell and Miss Olive Murphy of Traverse City. He was a good neighbor and a kind father and was respected by all who knew him.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Regular services next Sunday. Prayer meetings Thursday and Saturday evenings.

Teachers meeting Friday evening at the home of Louie Willard. Preaching at Alto Sunday afternoon.

The Sunday school will hold a Christmas tree and exercises Friday evening, Dec. 23.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to thank the kind friends and neighbors who so willingly extended us their aid and sympathy in the death and burial of our father and brother also to those who furnished the music.

Mrs. Nellie Sayles
Mrs. Eunice Richmond
Mrs. Charlotte Denny
Mrs. Janie Sherrard
James O. Sage

Miss Helen Greene of Adrian is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Greene here.

DR. C. P. SAYLES DIED

Former Lowell Resident Passed Away From Bronson Hospital.

Dr. C. Perry Sayles for 22 years a practitioner in Kalamazoo, died Dec. 10, at Bronson hospital, death being due to cancer of the bowels. He resided at 827 East Main street.

Dr. Sayles was born in Keene, Ionia county, 52 years ago, where he resided until 1882, when he was wedded to Juliet Bowen who survives him. After attending school in Lowell he took a course at the University of Michigan. He graduated from the Detroit college of medicine. He went to Kalamazoo shortly after and made his home in that city. One brother and one sister died some years ago, which was the first break in the family that was widely known throughout Michigan because of its unusual size.

He is survived by the following brothers and sisters: William G. of Kalamazoo, Dr. C. C. of Langston, Mrs. J. W. Sneathen of Washington, Mrs. G. P. Taylor of Lowell, Sanford Sayles of Washington, Mrs. George W. Forrest of Washington, C. M. Sayles of Grand Rapids, Leroy Sayles of Ionia, Mrs. Clifton White of Keene and Frank L. Sayles of Cloverdale.

Dr. Sayles was a member of Unity Lodge No. 407, I. O. O. F., also of Peninsular Commandery No. 8, Knight Templar.—[Com.]

Home made candy at Clark's

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Early appointment will enable him to get your work out on time and avoid all Xmas shopping worry. He also handles all kinds of amateur supplies, celebrated Anaco films, Cyko papers, he tells you how to work them as well as all kinds of hand cameras.

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That Will Delight Anybody... Anywhere

Don't miss seeing our large line and getting our prices on your Christmas needs. Here are just a few of the many useful gifts in our stock:

PERFUMES—Palmer's—for 50 years the best, in beautiful packages 10c to \$4.00

CIGARETTES—for him if he smokes. His favorite brand is here—boxes of 12, 25 or 50 at 25c to \$2.50

WILLIAMS' Tablets and Quartette useful packages for any member of the family 5c to 1.25

POST CARD Albums—big values and large assortment prices 5c to \$2.50

CHRISTMAS POST CARDS and booklets—by far largest line in Lowell from 1c to 25c

BOOKS—all the new and most popular copyrights and gift books for all ages, at all prices

CHRISTMAS STATIONERY—twice the amt. we have ever shown before, mostly Eaton & Hurlbut's 10c to \$2.00

MILITARY Brushes and traveling sets—bought from a sample line and selling at 1/2 price

BRUSHES and Toilet sets—a large stock and big range at prices from 50c to \$9.00

MANICURE sets and manicure pieces, the sweetest line ever shown here, worth seeing whether you buy or not

Come and see them all. It will pay both of us

D. G. LOOK,
THE REXALL DRUG STORE.

See Our Beautiful Line

Of Sterling Spoons, Military Brushes, Jewel Cases, Gold Clocks, Smoking Sets, Shaving Sets, Baking Dishes and a very fine line of Cut Glass and all Kinds of Jewelry.

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WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

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OUR COAL

MAKES A HIT

Ear Hunter.

Make Your Choice Now

It is none too early to choose your gifts now, many are doing so and why not you. You avoid both rush and disappointment at the last few days before Holidays.

You Ought to See

Our line of watches, from the reliable \$1.00 boys' watch to the more expensive and elaborate ones in gold filled and gold cases; and the prices are just right for the quality of goods.

We have Waterman, Parker and Holland fountain pens, price from \$1.50 and up. You can make money in buying your China and Cut Glass at our store.

Brooches, Stick Pins, Chains, Locketts, Cuff Buttons, etc., all suitable gifts, in great variety.

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Come in and let us talk it over with you.

Edison Phonographs and Records, large stock up-to-date.

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One of the best companions any man can have is a good razor. It adds to his appearance, comfort, convenience, self-respect, time, money and good disposition.

MANY a man who reads this advertisement is using a razor fifty years behind the times and enjoys none of the advantages the modern one brings. Think this over and remember that you cannot invest the same amount in any other way that will mean so much to you.

In our store is just the razor you want. One that will suit your fancy, one that will shave any board. It will pay you to inspect our stock now.

We handle the "Clauz" line, the very best made Prices, 50c to \$4.00

We also have the Gillette Auto Strip and O. V. B. Safety Razors. Nothing would make a man a more suitable gift than a Razor.

Carving Sets and Bread Knives

And Silverware

Of everything in your home there is nothing more desirable than nice tableware. Our line embraces all the well known makes such as Rogers Bros., 1847, Community, William Rogers, Buhl, and Landers, Fray & Clark. Just look them over.

Also see our Nickel plated ware, Percolators, Enamelled Roasters, Food Choppers, Asbestos Sad Irons, Carpet Sweepers, Family Scales, etc., etc.

FOR THE CHILDREN

The largest assortment of sleds in Lowell, Coasters, Flexible Flyers, and Iron Sleds. We have a dozen or so marked and laid away now. Come and select yours and we will hold it for you until Christmas. Skates, Air Guns, Rifles, Tool Boxes, Express Wagons, Pocket Knives.

R. T. FORD

