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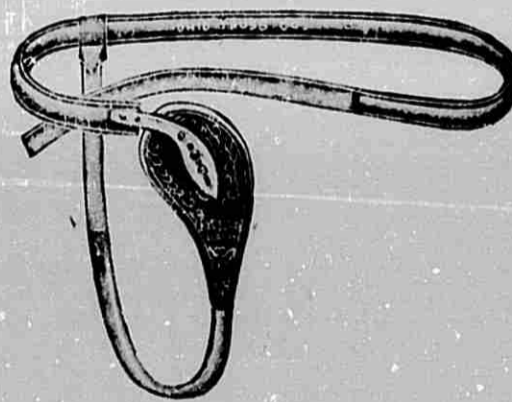
Large profits are often made from timely investments. You cannot tell when an opportunity for making a profitable investment will present itself.

A growing savings account in this bank will provide for such an emergency. It will give you a borrowing power equal to the capital which you save.

We want you to consider this a personal invitation to call and open an account here. Many of our large deposits began with a dollar.

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Cincinnati, O., will give a special demonstration and fitting at our store, **Saturday, Aug. 12.** We have all kinds of Trusses in all sizes, and guarantee to save you from 1-4 to 1-2 in price and give a perfect fit and comfortable Truss, or money back. Come whether you wish to buy or not, Saturday, August 12, to

## HENRY'S DRUG STORE THE TRUSS STORE

Claude Holliday and Walter Peters caught a 36-pound catfish in Grand river Saturday night. The boys thought at first that they had snagged the whale that swallowed Jonah; but close examination of an ancient tag now overgrown with the slime of ages revealed the following inscription: "Caught by John Hooker in July 1836 and liberated as too small for use."

A large advt. printed in this paper last week announced that the annual sale of shoes held by A. J. Howk & Son had closed. This seemed to be contradicted by several "locals" which appeared in different parts of the paper. These latter were inserted inadvertently and without authority from Mr. Howk. The advt. meant just what it said, as do all the statements made by that firm.

Smoke Metz's straight five. If

## OLD SCHOOLMATES

### Meet Again in Reunion at South Boston Grange

From our South Boston Correspondent.

The sixth annual meeting of the South Boston Select school association was held at the Grange Hall Tuesday August 8. A large number of former students with their families gathered at the hall and enjoyed the day very much, renewing old acquaintances and relating reminiscences of the old school days when they were bright, ambitious boys and girls, unburdened by cares and not acquainted with the stern realities of the great school of life.

A bountiful dinner was served at noon after which all gathered in the hall and the following program was rendered.

Song by the association.  
Address of welcome by the president, Mrs. Eva White-Hunt, which was very impressive.  
Music by Misses Irma Cilley, Mae Klahn and Esther Lind.

Roll call responded to by quotations.  
Reading, Ella Lewis.  
Music, Bernice Lewis.  
Reading, Helen Newton.

Communications from absent members were read by the secretary. Several students were called on for remarks and nearly all responded.

Irma Cilley and Mae Klahn gave a piano duet after which a short business meeting was called by the president and the necessary committees were appointed.

All sang "God be with you till we meet again," and were dismissed by the president.

Those who attended from a distance were: Mrs. Ella Leak of Blackduck, Minn.; Mrs. Fannie Tucker of Lake Odessa; Mrs. Addie Newton and daughter of Hastings; Llewellyn Alden of Scotts; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Myers of Freeport and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blakeslee of Alto.

## LOOK WHO'S COMING

### Kelley & Brennan's Tent Show.

Lowell, Three Days, Commencing Thurs. Aug. 10.

The Kelley & Brennan Dramatic Co. will exhibit in Lowell three days, commencing Thursday evening, Aug. 3. The company consists of thirty people, band and orchestra, and have the new plays such as "The Saint and the Devil," "Shadow of the Guillotine," "Girl of Eagle Ranch," "Lena Rivers," "Two Men and a Girl," and many others.

Band concert each evening in front of our big tent theatre at 7.30. Ladies will be admitted free on Thursday evening when accompanied by person holding a paid ticket.

Big tent on lot south of P. M. depot.

## BIG CROWD AT RACES

### Opening Horse Meet at Recreation Park Saturday

The races at Recreation park last Saturday drew a large crowd from out of town, there being about 1400 paid admissions.

In the green race Silver D., Alpha David, Ionia, won first, with Ted S., Jack White of Lowell, second, Star Patch Jr., F. A. Meyers, Ada, third and Jennie Bellwood, J. W. Laughlin, Caledonia, fourth.

In the 2.35 trot or pace, Marion S., W. L. Anderson, Ionia, scored first, with Ted S., second, Meadowbrook, J. Mahl, Grand Rapids, third and Bettie M., F. P. Hakes, Lowell, fourth.

The first money in the free for all was taken by Darby Allerton, J. Mahl, Grand Rapids with Dick C., W. M. Beaver Greenville, second, Max T., W. L. Anderson, Ionia, third John T., J. Tierney, Grand Rapids, fourth.

First honors in the running race was captured by May Morning, Mrs. T. Cornwell, Greenville; with Orful, Manton Wilkinson, Saranac, second; Silvertail, T. Cornwell, Greenville, third; Cavar Hoppy Stahl, Lowell, fourth.

### Flat River Claims Victim

BELDING, Mich., Aug. 7.—Frank Scheidt, 24 years old, while in bathing with his brother and several other young men in Flat river, 5 miles south of Belding, was taken with cramps and sank to his death. His companions finally recovered his body after it had been in the water fifteen minutes.

The brother, who attempted the rescue came near losing his life. Scheidt was engaged to be married shortly to a well known young woman in that vicinity.

Buy your dry cell batteries at Ford's.

## BIG WATER SUPPLY

### Assured by Adding 25 Wells to Lowell System

Local Superintendent Kallinger informs us that twenty-five tubular wells are being added to the Lowell water system and that they will soon be in commission. The wells are being driven on the Rowland Ryder farm and the water is of superior quality by chemical test. With this addition to the supply, the Grand river pumping station will go out of use.

Mr. Kallinger says further that the old plant is to be rebuilt and some improvements made at the new Edison plant and that when work is completed pumping of the water supply may be done by power from any of the company's power plants.

Last but not least—Anton paid his subscription and says the fishing is good.

## AUTO KILLED HORSE

### Another Bad Chapter in Saturday Night Carousal

A horse belonging to the Adgate livery at Saranac is driven by Carl Loomis, was struck by an automobile driven by Mel Hooper, the Saranac grain buyer, 40 rods east of the upper Grand river bridge, near the Bennet home, Saturday evening about 9.30, and so badly injured that Deputy Sheriff Scott afterward shot it to end its misery.

The animal's fore legs were broken and its body badly gashed. Hooper agreed to pay \$125 for the horse, it being apparent that Mr. Loomis was in no wise at fault.

Owner Adgate came over and buried the horse and satisfied himself as to the merits of the case.

Deputy Sheriff Scott is clearly of the opinion that Hooper was under the influence of liquor.

It is said that this is not the first accident Mr. Hooper has figured in and that his motor license has been or will be revoked.

## Grateful Acknowledgment

For the very many heartfelt expressions of sympathy received during these last days when our Baby was taken to the Homeland. We are sincerely grateful.

Pastor Ogg and Wife.

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## Watch This Space

## A New Corset Each Week



### For the Stout Figure

Grace and comfort combined in this C B A la Sprite Corset. This corset is designed for the woman who objects to a reducing corset.

The picture will give you an idea of the fashionable lines of the model, but you must examine the corset to appreciate its quality.

Made of good weight, fancy coutil, with lace trimmed top, with draw string, absolutely rust-proof boning, long unboned skirt extension, finished with two pairs of extra quality hose supporters— an excellent value, \$1.50.

See this corset in our outside display case this week.

### Payne's

The Quality Store.

## BELDING BOOZERS

### And Lowell Liquor Collide With a Keene Maple Tree.

The LEDGER is in receipt of two signed communications from responsible people in Keene, which for the public good it feels obliged to publish, so that our people may understand something of the reputation our fair village is acquiring.

Out of pity for the unfortunate men from Belding we withhold their names in the hope that they will profit by their experience.

Here are the letters as received, minus the names:

Two Beldingites, Mr. B. and his friend C., on their return from Lowell Saturday evening, ran into one of the maple trees on the Keene Methodist churchyard at 8:10 p. m., bending the steering gear of their auto. But they were unable to detect the trouble owing to the jag of booze they were carrying. Yet they were very anxious to get home. Finally they stretched out on the churchyard to sleep it off.

The next morning (Sunday) one of the men awoke the farmers of the vicinity at 3 o'clock and tried to persuade some one to take them to Belding. At 5:30 Mr. B. went to a neighbors, borrowed a crowbar, straightened the gear and then proceeded on his way home.

Mrs. —

What on earth is the trouble with Lowell and vicinity? Is this an age of progress? No, it is degradation. The highways have become so dangerous that any respectable woman is afraid to drive to Lowell Saturday afternoon and return in the evening. The farmers even complain of unnecessary noise to such an extent as to deprive them of their Saturday night's rest. And what is the cause of all this disturbance? It is simply liquor.

Just last Saturday an automobile was seen passing along the country road at dusk with great velocity, and no headlights. All of a sudden it ran into a maple tree on the Keene church grounds and stopped. Some neighbors were called to render assistance and did what they could in lighting it up so as to insure public safety. The occupants, two bright, intelligent looking men of Belding were dead drunk.

Such things are happening constantly, and when you stop to think of it, all on account of liquor. Something must be done at once. But nothing can be accomplished nor nothing will be accomplished until Lowell goes dry.

Mrs. —

## BREADY QUARANTINE

Letter from Former Lowell Pastor to Old Friends.  
Grand Rapids, Aug. 8.  
F. M. JOHNSON.

Dear Brother Johnson:—The Lowell people have been so kind during the past few days, inquiring by letter and phone concerning Richard, that I thought the quickest way would be for me to write you a line, and ask you to express our appreciation as to his condition.

The infantile paralysis has left him with his right limb entirely paralyzed. The council of physicians said that it might be restored in a week, and it might be six months, and perhaps never. It has not affected his mental faculties in any way. A quarantine was placed on the parsonage last Sunday for six weeks. As soon as his fever has passed away we will begin the fight for the restoration of his limb. We have a trained nurse with him, and we will make every effort. I assure you that we appreciate the messages we are receiving daily by phone and mail from the Lowell friends.

I wish you all the happiest years of your life, and a great many of them, in your new home. I hope to have the pleasure in the near future of meeting you all beneath its roof.

By the way, please change our LEDGER back from Northport to the same old address. Thanking you if you will edit an item from the information I have sent you, I am,

Yours as always,  
RUSSELL H. BREADY.

Cornelius Skinner of Portland, plead guilty before Justice Andrews Monday of being drunk. He got \$5.00 and costs. He was suspected of complicity in a watch stealing case; but his partner in the alleged deal having escaped and the victim himself having been under the influence of liquor His Honor thought best to let him off on the minor charge.

## Are you Particular Enough About Drugs

Do you make sure of right quality, or do you do as thousands of others do—just call for an article and take what is handed out, without question?

We like particular customers. It's a pleasure to sell to people who want quality. We buy for particular people and therefore have a stock of the best goods that the market affords. Whether you know drugs or not,

## You'll be Protected from Unworthy Goods and Unfair Prices When You Trade With Us

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## A Seasonable Hint

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## Scott Hardware Co.



# SCIENCE N LAW

BY EDWARD B. GLARK

URING the last seven or eight years, the scientific method has been introduced into the courts of many states. In the case of the Massachusetts man who had been indicted for the murder of a woman, the scientific method was introduced into the trial. The jury was told that the man had been indicted for the murder of a woman, and that the scientific method had been introduced into the trial. The jury was told that the man had been indicted for the murder of a woman, and that the scientific method had been introduced into the trial.

# WILL BE 133 CONGRESSMEN

A SIMPLE BUSINESS METHOD IN DAIRYING

By W. B. LIVERANCE, Instructor in Dairying, Michigan Agricultural College

After accepting an amendment by Senator Burton of Ohio, the bill providing for a larger House of Representatives will be introduced into the Senate. The bill provides for an increase in the number of Representatives from 435 to 483.

# PREROGATIVE OF HER SEX

Bride had but Exerized Recognized Privilege That is Universally Granted.

A young couple had been courting for several days and the young man had proposed to her. She had accepted his proposal and they were to be married. The bride had a special privilege that was granted to her by the law. This privilege was the prerogative of her sex.

# FAIR IS MIRROR OF STATES' RESOURCES

IT IS A GREAT MOVING PICTURE OF A GREAT STATE, ITS PEOPLE AND ITS MANY INTERESTS.

Everybody Ought To See It—Every Effort Is Being Put Forward To Make The Michigan State Fair Greater Than Ever Before.

# FRUIT AND FARM EXHIBIT AT MICHIGAN STATE FAIR

The Michigan State Fair and Exposition, one of the greatest annual events in the state, is now in progress. The fruit and farm exhibit is one of the most interesting features of the fair. It shows the products of the state's agriculture and the progress of the farming industry.

# The National Grange

IN DEFENSE OF THE FARMER

The National Grange Monthly Replies to Abuse From Advocates of the Canadian Reciprocity Bill.

The discussion of the reciprocity question throughout the country has been so extensive, and so full of heated public opinion, that it is not strange that some bitterness and more or less ridicule and invective should have been directed against the Grange. From some sources the farmers have been severely criticized for opposing the reciprocity bill.

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Senator Lodge's bill, which provided for an increase in the number of Representatives from 435 to 483, was introduced into the Senate. The bill was passed by the House of Representatives and is now in the hands of the Senate. The bill provides for an increase in the number of Representatives from 435 to 483.

# BAKCOCK MILK TESTING OUTFIT

Dairying is supposedly carried on for the purpose of securing a profit. The fundamental element acting as the incentive for any business is the return for the money invested. Too many farmers do not look on their milk as a business, but as a means to earn a livelihood and many are too content with this state of affairs.

# PIMPLES COVERED HIS BACK

"My troubles began along in the summer in the hottest weather and took the form of small eruptions and pimples of a kind resembling those which are seen on the face of a young man. It took me mostly all over my back and kept getting worse until finally my back was covered with a mass of pimples which were very itchy and painful. I tried various remedies and salves for nearly three years and I was not getting any benefit. It seemed to me that I was in a desperate case and I was about to give up when I saw an advertisement for Cuticura. I bought a box and used it and in about a week my back was clear and my pimples were gone. I am now well and happy and I feel that Cuticura is the best medicine for skin diseases. I would not be without it for anything."—Mrs. J. M. Corbin, Can. May 26, 1911.

# THE SIMPLE LIFE

By Captain Leslie T. Peacock

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# HOW TO FEED THE CALVES

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Calves which are being fitted for use as milk producers should be fed in a way that will insure the best results. The feeding of calves is a very important matter and it is one that should be given the most careful attention. The following are some of the things that should be remembered when feeding calves.

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# PREPARING FOR THE SEEDING OF WHEAT

The usual practice in growing wheat in Michigan is to plant the seed in the fall. This is a very important matter and it is one that should be given the most careful attention. The following are some of the things that should be remembered when preparing for the seeding of wheat.

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MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

Saginaw—The eleventh annual session of the Michigan State Bar Association closed at Saginaw selected for the 1912 convention and the election of the following officers: President, J. H. Heath, Lowell; first vice-president, F. E. Novlin, Abbot; second vice-president, J. H. Heath, Lowell; secretary, J. H. Heath, Lowell; treasurer, E. C. Forrest, Saginaw.

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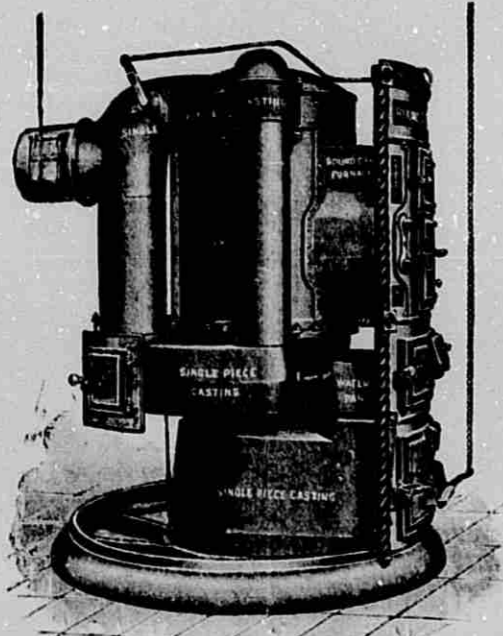
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You cannot afford to have a cheap outfit installed, as it would be a constant expense in the way of repairs and extra fuel burned, and a never-ending source of vexation through not enough heat and the liability of smoke, gas and dirt in the rooms.

The difference in the cost of the **ROUND OAK** and the cheap furnace is but little after all—and just consider—you get it all back in fuel saved, and in time the **ROUND OAK** pays for itself, and at the end of every year you still have a sound furnace—and it has not cost a cent for repairs

# R. T. FORD

AT THE OLD HARDWARE CORNER

### HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Smoke Metz's Lowell Chief. Ten per cent off on linoleum at Ford's.

Miss Alice Tinkler was in Grand Rapids Sunday.

J. K. Fisher of Detroit was home over Sunday.

Born in Kalamazoo, to Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibson spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Cecil Bancroft of Alto has been visiting Miss Viola Morse.

New way gasoline engine at a sacrifice, brand new at Ford's.

Jim Shiels of Kalamazoo spent the first of the week with relatives here.

Mrs. O. C. Giddings is spending a week with her parents in St. Louis.

Miss Tuba Smith of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with relatives here.

Will Price returned to Saginaw Saturday after a visit with Lowell friends.

Miss Helen Shivel of Constantine, has been visiting her brother R. E. Shivel.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Avery and son Harvey spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

When you say "Flour" to your grocer say "Pansy Blossom." Bangs, Alexander and Wolcott sell it.

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It will give you clearer, deeper, better-defined negatives. Fits any film camera.

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F. B. RHODES

### Two Little Ones Taken from Parents

Leighton, seven months old son of Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Ogg, died very suddenly Saturday evening after a week's illness with cholera infantum.

Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. Herbert McConnel of Smith Memorial church Grand Rapids and burial was made at Oakwood.

Iris, three-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Crawford of Kalamazoo died at that place of whooping cough and was brought here for burial yesterday.

The funeral was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, conducted by Rev. W. D. Ogg.

### Death of Sylvester Graves

Sylvester Graves died Tuesday at the home of Ward Willette in the village, aged 77 years, after an illness of nine weeks.

Funeral and burial at Whitneyville this (Thursday) afternoon, Rev. W. D. Ogg officiating. Greeting from the Northwest.

Netherhill, Sask., July 28. F. M. Johnson  
Lowell, Mich.

DEAR FRIEND—Please find enclosed \$1.50 for which extend my subscription to LEDGER. Address to same place as before, Gettysburg, Sask.

While I am in business at this place and don't get home very often it being forty miles, I assure you when I do get hold of the LEDGER it seems like an old friend from home.

Am sending you under separate cover, second issue of Netherhill Express. When you stop to think that a year ago last November there was not a building in sight of where our village is today, you can see by the paper sent that we have done fairly well.

With kindest regards to all and wishing THE LEDGER every success I remain yours truly  
H. V. GETTY

### Alleged Forger Caught

Owosso, Aug. 8.—Don M. Smith, alleged forger, charged with swindling M. C. Bucks, former professional ball player and Louis Dennis and Arthur Stiles, proprietors of a social club, out of a total of \$98 on bogus checks, was brought back here from Columbus, O., and was arraigned before Justice G. F. Friegel in the Municipal court. He waived examination and was bound over to the Circuit court under \$1,000 bail.—(Grand Rapids Press.)

### Farm for Sale

223 acres, sections 19 and 30, Keene township. H. W. Powell, Ionia.

All the latest 50c books at Henry's.

Dexter Conklin is visiting at Alden and Hersey.

Apples wanted at my canning factory. Edwin Fallas.

Mrs. D. G. Look is spending a week at Alden and Petoskey.

Big stock of straight and extension ladders at Ford's.

Miss Olive Murphy is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. V. Kelly in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hendershott of Grand Rapids visited at Walter Maynard's last week.

Mrs. R. W. Stone and son R. W. are spending the week with relatives in Grattan.

Mrs. Thomas Ronan and daughters of Billings, Mont., are visiting Lowell friends.

Fletcher Campbell of Marshall visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. Blaisdell, a few days last week.

Miss Lila Lawrence entertained some of her lady friends at a porch party Tuesday afternoon.

Saturday, August 12, special truss fittings and demonstration by Mr. Crowell at Henry's drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. N. Parker are spending a week with relatives at White Pigeon and in Northern Indiana.

Guy Morgan of Mt. Pleasant has joined his wife and two babies here for a visit with the old home folks.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Phil Rautelster August 18. All members are especially requested to be present.

Mrs. Sarah Hakes and Mrs. W. S. Godfrey and daughter Marion of Hastings, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hakes.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Conklin left Wednesday for Flint, Hunter's Creek and Columbiaville. They will be gone about two weeks.

H. H. Reed goes on a trip to Wayne county, N. Y., on the 17th for ten days leave, and his store will be closed during that time.

Will Sandell of Belding spent Monday with his mother in honor of her birthday which occurred Tuesday and Mrs. Will Sandell came and spent Tuesday with her.

H. O. Phillips of Bangor, Me., was in town Monday on business and in the afternoon, C. W. Wisner, F. T. King and Charles Doyle accompanied him to Grand Rapids.

# ... AUGUST ... Reduction Sale

From Saturday, August 12th; to Saturday, August 26th

This will be two weeks of price-slaughtering seldom paralleled in the history of our store. In order to reduce our \$25,000 stock of merchandise sufficient to make room enough for Fall and Winter Goods now on the way, we have cut prices throughout the store. So liberally have we slashed prices that, as a business proposition, no one can afford to miss attending this sale. We quote below a portion of the big money-saving values awaiting you.

All Muslin Underwear 1-5 Off	White Shirt Waists 1-3 Off	All Wrappers, House Dresses, Dressing Sacques and Kimonos 1-5 Off
All Hammocks 1-4 Off	All Silk Waists 1-4 Off	

### Lawns, Organdies, Dimities and all Summer Goods

All 10c and 12 1-2c Lawns now 7c  
15c Organdies and Batistes now 10c  
All 18c Batistes 12c  
25c Organdies, Figured Poppins, etc., now 18c

### White Goods

We have placed in one lot our 18c, 20c and 25c White Goods in Checks, Stripes, Dimities and Figured Mulls,

August Sale Price, 15c

### Embroideries

1 lot of 7c and 8c Edges and Insertions  
Special at per yard, 5c

### Children's and Misses Dresses

Regular 50c, 65c, 75c, 88c, \$1.00 up to \$2.50, August price, 1-4 off

### Children's Hats

50c Straw Hats, 33c  
25c Washable Hats, 19c  
\$1.00 Embroidery Hats, 60c  
Ladies' Sun Hats and Sunbonnets, 25c, August price, 19c

### Belts

1 lot 25c and 50c Belts in black and colors, special at 15c.

### Don't Miss Them

Couch Covers, Rope Portieres and Tapestry Curtains, August price, 1-5 off

### Reversible Scrim

1 lot Arabian Scrim patterns, printed on both sides, excellent material for shelf drapes, doorways and windows, 25c, special at 18c.

### Velvetto Carpeting

2 rolls Carpeting, usually sold at 30c, sale price, 20c.  
1 roll Velvetto Stair Carpeting, sale price, 19c.

### Fancy Silks

All Fancy Silks, in all shades, reduced 40 per cent.

### Colored Parasols

Ladies' assorted Sun Parasols, were \$1.00 and \$1.50, August price, 63c.  
Colored Silk Parasols, 25-inch steel frames, all plain shades of silk, were \$2.00 and \$2.50, August price \$1.50

### Dress Skirts

1 lot of \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$8.00 Skirts  
August Sale Price \$3.75

### Underskirts

1 lot of genuine Heatherbloom Colored Underskirts, all shades, regular \$2.00 Skirts  
Special at \$1.00

1 lot Blue Gingham Wash Skirts, regular 50c garments August Sale Price 33c

### Hosiery

50c Tan Silk Lisle Hose, at 33c  
40c Tan Lace Boot Hose, at 25c  
13c Children's White Lace Stockings, special at 7c

### Dress Gingham

Our entire stock of 10c Dress Gingham, over 3,000 yds, August price, per yard 8c.

### American Pilgrim Prints

A splendid assortment of light and dark Prints, Silver Greys, Cadets, Indigo Blues, Garnets, Bright Reds, Pinks and Blacks, special at 4 1-2c

DON'T FORGET, we sell Colored Table Oil Cloth, usually sold at 18c and 20c, always here at, per yard 12 1-2c

### Specials

5c Pearl Buttons, 2 doz. for 5c  
5c Ladies' white Hemstitched Hdks, 2 for 5c

5c Wash Cloths, 3c  
5c Towels, 3c  
5c Darning Silk, 3c  
5c Spool colored mercerized Colton Thread, all shades, 3c

# A. W. WEEKS

Water motor washing machines, \$11.00 at Ford's.

Miss Mildred Lee of Milwaukee is visiting relatives here.

Abbie Ribbie is attending the teacher's institute in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCall spent Sunday with their son Orin and other friends in Owosso.

C. C. Loomis and family went to Olivet yesterday to spend a week with Prof. and Mrs. Crumpton.

N. A. Stone and George Stone and family of Grand Rapids came up from Grand Rapids and called on friends.

Mrs. S. H. McNeil and Miss Minnie Pangburn of Grand Rapids were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bradish.

W. E. Rogers fell from his oil wagon Tuesday and received severe injuries in one arm that will trouble him for some time.

News has been received here of the death from appendicitis, of Elda Lowe, at the home of her parents in Kalamazoo. She will be remembered here as the wife of Nelt Waters, having lived here about six years ago.

Next regular meeting of the Spartan society at Mrs. H. Bainter's Wednesday August 16. All are requested to attend.

Frank Flanagan has bought the Dr. Eaton residence on Main street, occupied by Mrs. T. S. Lalley, paying \$2000 therefor.

Mrs. G. A. Bate and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kennedy of Emporia, Kansas, have been visiting the former's sister, Miss C. R. Bosworth.

Frank Trednick will come home from Grand Rapids Saturday to spend a two weeks' vacation with his mother, Mrs. Geo. W. Rouse.

Mrs. R. E. Springett and sons Thurston and Roger went to Jackson yesterday to spend a week with the former's mother and sister.

R. F. Ford is moving into the Maple Hill house recently vacated by A. A. Dickerson. Mr. Hale the new owner, has had the house painted and the barn re-roofed.

Mrs. Price's canning compound 10c per package, 3 for 25c, 7 for 50c. 1 package puts up from 4 to 8 quarts fruit or vegetables. Get it at Henry's drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Settegast of Houston were guests of Mrs. John Kopf several days this week en route to New York City. Mr. Settegast is John Kopf's partner.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Eaton of Grand Rapids were in town yesterday. The Doctor is cranking his own auto now. Guess business must be good in his town.

Yesterday, Mrs. Herman Strong attended the funeral of J. Roland Clark of Grand Rapids who was killed in an automobile accident on the Cascade road Sunday.

A party was given Miss Helen Kelley at her home Monday evening in honor of her sixteenth birthday. Among the guests present were a number from out of town.

Weldon Smith has sold out his interest in the City bakery in Grand Rapids and is looking for a location in a country town. He was in town last week and confessed to THE LEDGER that life in Lowell had spoiled him for city life. He likes to know the people he meets and does business with.

Some locals crowded out this week will be printed on editorial page next week.

Mr. W. E. Crowell an expert truss fitter will give special fittings and advice free at our store Saturday August 12. Come in whether you wish to buy or not. Henry the Druggist.

A Grange rally will be held at John Ball park, Grand Rapids, Wednesday, Aug. 16. Speeches by Mayor Ellis, H. McNaughton, Geo. B. Horton, J. C. Ketchum and others. Grangers and farmers invited.

Laura DeBoer, aged 9 years, one of the Sunday school excursionists from Grand Rapids, fell while racing on the Island yesterday and broke both bones of her fore arm. Dr. McDannell attended to the child's needs.

Carl, little son of John Flogaus, who has suffered a bad fracture of an arm and was taken to a Grand Rapids hospital for treatment, is making a good recovery and it is believed will not be permanently crippled as was feared. His father and two sisters Alma and Ruth went to the hospital to see him Sunday.