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**Fine Leather Rocking Chair for the Oldest Stove Still in Use**

Name of stove.....  
 Year Bought.....  
 Kind.....  
 Present Condition.....  
 Name of Owner.....  
 Address.....

Have you put in your coupon yet? If not, fill it out at once and hand to Mr. Heath.

The Store that sells **R. T. FORD** The Store that sells Round Oaks

The oldest stove still in use. Who has it? See Mr. Heath at Ford's.

Mystic Workers meeting Friday Oct. 27. Important business. Turn out.

Match up anything you have in your Wednesday, Nov. 1 at A. W. Weekes.

Closing out guns, tackle and sporting goods at Stocking's. See adv. on front page.

Mrs. Hattie VanSiz of Grand Rapids visited her sister Mrs. Rose Ford last week.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Anderson and Miss Agnes Anderson were in Grand Rapids Friday.

Be sure and get your share of the wall paper serving at Look's wall paper clearance sale.

Ask for Strong's bread and pastry—fresh twice daily—14 ounces 5c. Baked in Lowell.

A person who fills church desks with wind paddles is quite capable of beating newspaper bills.

Fletcher Campbell of Marshall spent from Saturday until Monday with his sister Mrs. W. R. Blaisdell.

Band No. 1 of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Orton Hill, Tuesday afternoon, October 31.

J. E. Tinkler has sold half interest in his barber shop here, to Jack Bannan of Iowa who will take possession Monday.

Mrs. Julia White went with her brother, Mr. Coleman Monday to Grand Rapids where she will spend the winter with a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward (nee Mrs. Mary Scott) arrived Thursday evening from Boise City, Idaho, for a visit with her parents and other relatives.

Red wheat, 95c; white wheat 94c; instead of 95c and 93c as quoted in the market report. Baled hay \$16 per ton instead of \$15 as quoted.

Carl Pechman went to Marshall on business last week and during his absence Mrs. Pechman and little son spent the time with Grand Rapids friends.

Fine leather rocker for the oldest stove still in use. See Mr. Heath at Ford's.

Mrs. Kate Thomson of Grand Rapids John and William Parker of Freeport and Wilson Parker of Vermontville were in attendance at the funeral of Elias Parker last Thursday.

To raise necessary money I am going to close out different departments of my stock at a sacrifice. Watch my sales on front page for full details from week to week. R. D. Stocking.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoesley spent yesterday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Wm. Hathaway of Lansing is visiting her sister Mrs. E. White.

Downy Minnows \$1.00 size going at 30c at Stocking's closing out sale.

Miss Elizabeth Raymond is home from her school for a week's vacation.

A. A. S. Ott is running a pool and lunch room one door east of the Wisner hall.

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Berry Camp M. W. A. will have a Halloween pot party Monday evening, Oct. 30.

Hammerless double shot gun going at \$13.95 at Stocking's closing out sale, see ad.

Miss Blanche Howell of Hammond, Ind., is a guest at the home of L. J. Post and family.

Ask for Strong's bread and pastry—fresh twice daily—14 ounces 5c. Baked in Lowell.

Select your tires at Weekes' Wednesday, Nov. 1. Large manufacturers line on display that day.

Mrs. Daisy Yarger and daughter Betty of Esport spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Randall Miller.

Miss Beatrice VanDyke has returned from Grand Rapids, where she has been attending school.

Take the measure of your rooms to look and he will give you some surprising prices on wall paper.

Mrs. Cecelia Morris who has been visiting at the home of Randall Miller, has gone to Grand Rapids for a visit.

Division No. 3 of the Congregational church will have a sale of uppers and Colonial rugs at R. D. Stocking's store Saturday, Oct. 28.

The foundation of W. L. Stowell's new house has been completed and material for the carpenter work is being placed on the ground.

Marriage licenses: Harvey A. Snyder of Boyne to Bertha F. Clark of Ionia county; Thomas K. Erdley of Cascade to Margaret J. Keefe of Games.

We don't believe Lowell has any blind pigs but we are reliably informed that Hi Lane has a blind pig. However, he probably won't remain very long.

The Jess Pugh company opened the Clover Leaf club lecture course very pleasantly at the City hall Tuesday evening, with a goodly attendance. A violin vocal and reading numbers made up the program.

Special showing of furs Wednesday, Nov. 1st at Weekes'.

Miss Gladys Raymond is ill. Ray Barber is working in Strong's bakery.

Apples wanted at my canning factory. Edwin Fallas.

We are still crediting subscribers to six years of THE LEADER for \$5. Fred L. Fallas is the latest addition to this list and his paid-to date is September 1, 1917.

Get a safety guard for your razor of R. D. Stocking. Does not prevent stropping and is the slickest thing ever for quick and easy shaving. Can't cut yourself if you try.

The Herman Strong house is ready for the plasterers. Mr. and Mrs. Strong hope to spend Thanksgiving in their new home, but will probably not accomplish it. Finishing work takes time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Abbey and daughter of Oakfield, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Weatherly and son of Grand Rapids and John Head of Nashville, Iowa, visited Mrs. A. Abbey and daughter over Sunday.

See Weekes' fur and cloak advertisements in this issue.

Mrs. Ray N. Parker and children, Gerald, Florence and Kenneth visited the former's sister in Grand Rapids last week.

H. S. Shreiner has bought a home at 22 Pleasant street, Grand Rapids and we hope it is as good as it sounds. Henry says "Lowell is doing better than the majority of towns in the state" and he ought to know.

The Specialty company's new factory building is nearing completion. The brick work is finished and the roof is about on. With the laying of the concrete floor of the first story and the placing of the windows the annex will be ready for its machinery and workmen. It is a fine addition to the Specialty property and a credit to the town.

Unclaimed letters at the post office: Clyde Dutch, Friedrich McGee, Otto Sturmer, Mrs. J. B. Hill, Jennie Maud, Mrs. O. C. Richardson.

Advertisers should get their copy in Mondays. Almost every week some late comer is crowded out for lack of space and time. Give the printer a chance.

More women wanted at the canning factory. Good wages.

F. M. Johnson returned Monday evening from a three days' visit with old friends at Mayville, where he founded the Monitor 27 years ago last March and where he met and recognized many of his old subscribers, after an absence of 20 years. A pleasant feature was the meeting of his former band companions of from '84 to '91, with nine present.

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Where you see the new things first. It's the new things, big and little that make the world move. YOU OUGHT TO SEE THE NEW THINGS HERE

**HERE ARE GOOD STYLES**

You'll Not Tire Of

One of the greatest compliments you can pay a friend is to say, "She Wears Well."

It is because on close acquaintance she continues to be what you thought she was at the start. She stays nice.

The same thing applies to the right kind of garment. You keep on liking it—you don't tire of it. Continued every-day association with it does not destroy its charm.

That's why we so strongly recommend our Wooltex apparel to you. Each garment stays just as pleasing and satisfactory as it looked to you when you bought it. It's the safe kind to buy. Here's a good illustration in this picture.

No matter where this coat appears, its air of good style will be noticed and commented upon. In the crowd or alone, it stamps the wearer as "well dressed"—she's approved of.

It's not an expensive model nor an elaborate one. Both materials and design are best described by that expressive word "smart." You'll understand exactly what we mean when you try it on before the mirror.

It's a likeable coat. It seems to belong to you and you'll think of a dozen places where you'd love to wear it. Ten minutes will be ample time to look it over. It's price is by no means its least attraction.

Whenever you see these garments with the Wooltex label, note particularly the refinement of the design, the becoming lines, the custom-made look. And bear in mind that Wooltex garments are guaranteed to retain that appearance through at least two seasons. Won't you give us the pleasure of showing them to you soon?



**Flannelette Gowns** Every garment new, fresh and clean; no carried over stuff. These garments were all made this year for this year's selling, and the qualities and prices are such they'll be quick sellers. Several new styles this year, including military collars with frog fastenings and embroidered V necks, exceptionally good values at **75c, \$1, 1.25 and 1.50**

Outing Flannel Sleeping Suits for Children at 50c.

**Eider Down Yarn** for Aviation Caps, genuine Fleisher make, all colors and white, per skein **15c**

Choice patterns in light and dark colored Calicoes, blue, gray, red, black and white shades, our price **4c**

**Superb Form** The new long hip Corset for fall, made of extra quality fine coutil; medium high bust, full form hips, cut away in front and back, draw string top, six good hose supporters **\$100**

**Tico Forms** Guaranteed washable for embroidering initials, old English letters. **2 1/2 in. high, 4c each, 1 1/2 in. high, 2c each.**

**Silk Waists, \$3.50** Twenty new patterns in all-silk waists, all colors, all new fall styles. Great values. Each **\$3.50**

Still selling 9c blankets, a great big double blanket, heavy fleece, grey, tan or white, with fancy colored borders **98c**

**Umbrellas** Fifty different styles of handles including fancy carved and mounted boxwood, mission, horn, etc., some pearl trimmed handles, all made of good cotton taffeta covers with cases and tassels **\$1.00**

Jet ornaments for dress and waists fronts; black and white, many beautiful designs. Each **85c to \$3.00**

**Dr. Denton's Sleeping Garments** Well made on correct hygienic lines; knit, not woven, add with every desirable feature. The fabric is washed and shrunk before cutting; the finished garments will not shrink and are soft and durable. Prices range from **50c up**

**Wool Skirt Patterns** Made of wool flannel with fancy striped borders, enough for a skirt in each pattern **\$1.00**

**Bath Robe Blankets** Heavy weight fancy Bath Robe Blankets, one blanket makes a Robe **\$2.00** Extra heavy Blankets, with cords to match **\$3.00**

**Duckling Fleece** Duckling Fleece, for Kimonos, House Dresses and Sacques, all new designs, handsome colorings, velour finish **12 1-2c, 15c**

**Rug Filler** Looks like real hard wood flooring, specially prepared good wearing finish. 24 inches wide. Special price per yard **20c**

**Coats for Girls** Good warm coats for girls made of heavy reversible mixtures with the new shawl and sailor collars, regular sizes 8 to 14 years special sizes, 5, 7 and 9 and 13, 15 and 17. Prices **\$2 to 5.00**

**Wool Hosiery** for boys and girls. Heavy weight wool hosiery full ribbed, fast black cotton, will not crock Best wearing wool hose made for children and "Payne's hosiery wears better." All sizes **25c**

**Silk Waist Patterns** Beautiful new Fall silks. Just enough for a waist in each pattern. No two alike. Per pattern **\$3.00**

**Wool Dress Goods** in the new black and white mixture. Fall 35 inches wide. Suitable for suits, dresses and skirts. Per yard **50c**

**Challies** 25 pretty patterns in Cotton Challies for Comfortable linings, a nice, soft, good wearing cloth in dark and medium colors **5c**

**Linen Crash** Linen color. Crash without border for embroidery work, pillows, table runners, etc., full 20 inches wide, per yard **12 1-2c**

Complete line of Richardson's Embroidery Silks, 4c skein.

**Hair Goods** Human Hair Puffs, in all shades, small size \$1.00, large size \$1.50. Extra large, special quality, made without wire form \$2.00. 18 to 22 inch wavy switches, all shades except gray. \$1.25

**Hat Veils** large size silk hat veils, wide octagon mesh, black and white only. Very popular **50c and \$1.00**

**Furs** everything that is new and beautiful. All new fresh stock. Every piece lined with guaranteed skinner satin or fancy changeable silk. The prices are about the same as those lined with sateen and the cheaper lining. Many new ideas in combination furs, big scarf and big muff. See the new half barrel shape.

**Patterns** if you want the best pattern choose a Ladies Home Journal Pattern. Each one is furnished with a guide chart and is guaranteed to fit **10c and 15c**

**Wool Blankets** good size all wool blankets in fancy plaid patterns. Special value **\$4.50**

The Store that Sells Wooltex

Payne's

Where You See the New Things First

**GREAT REDUCTION IN GROCERY PRICES**

10 lbs Best Granulated Sugar, - **73c** 12 Bars Acme Soap, - **32c**  
 With orders for \$1.00 worth of groceries, excepting flour and sugar. With orders for \$1.00 worth of groceries, excepting flour and sugar.

**Teas at Almost Wholesale**

60c Teas, - **47c**  
 50c Teas - **43c**  
 40c Teas - **35c**  
 35c Teas - **28c**

**Try Our Coffees**

M. and J. Blend - **35c**  
 Puritan Blend - **31c**  
 Ideal Blend - **27c**  
 Winner Blend - **23c**

**More Bargains**

7 lbs Rolled Oats - **25c**  
 1 lb Sweet Chocolate **25c**  
 1 lb Bitter Chocolate **35c**  
 1 lb Bulk Cocoa nut - **19c**  
 1 pint Snider Catsup **22c**  
 1 pint VanCamp's Catsup **19c**  
 3 pkgs Corn Flakes **25c**

**More Bargains**

3 lbs Bulk Starch - **10c**  
 3 pkgs Raisins - **30c**  
 3 Cakes Bon Ami - **23c**  
 3 1-lb pkgs Corn Starch **15c**  
 4 lbs Tapioca - **25c**  
 3 10c cans K. C. Bkg Pds **23c**  
 4 oz Bottle Vanilla **25c**

Yours For Business

The Wolcott Grocery

Wm. Davarn of Pewamo spent Saturday and Sunday with his father here.

Richard O'Brien and James Byrne of Grattan were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Charles and daughter Mabel were in Grand Rapids Friday.

Golden Green went to Valparaiso, Ind., Friday to attend school.

Mrs. William Ricketts of Grand Rapids visited friends here last week.