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A Matter of Interest

ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1911, we will make our 28th semi-annual payment of interest on all Savings Accounts that have been on deposit six months or more. The interest will be added to each account on this date and will be entered upon the depositor's book when presented. All deposits made on or before December 11th, will draw interest from December 1st and will participate in our next interest payment in June. 4 per cent interest paid on deposits left six months.

CITY STATE BANK

THE BANK THAT PAYS 4 PER CENT.

A. W. WEEKES, President
H. VANDYKE, Vice-President
W. T. CONDON, 2d Vice-Pres.

T. A. MURPHY, Cashier
R. W. SLAYTON, Asst. Cashier

Thanksgiving Specials

A. D. Oliver

You should see that White and Gold English Dinner Ware in our window, 63 pieces... **\$9.79**
Cut Glass Goblets, six for **1.49**
Sugars and Creams, per pair **19c**
A fine assortment of fancy Plates, each 25c, 50c, 75c, and **\$1.00**
A handsome Japan's Teapot, Sugar and Cream **1.00**
Carving Sets from **2.00 to 4.00**

And many other good things

Don't Trifle With Your Eyes...

Come here and have them properly tested and an accurate adjustment of glasses made.

Watch and Jewelry Repairing...

A. D. Oliver, Optometrist

SUCCESS BUILDING...

PEOPLE WHO SUCCEED are those who conserve their resources.

Success comes to us each day. It comes in fragments, which, gathered and conserved, will, in time make a snug fortune.

The seed of success is thrift, its fruit is opportunity. Start a savings account at this Bank and make your desire for success a reality. Interest on savings compounded semi-annually. New half begins December 1, 1911.

LOWELL STATE BANK, LOWELL

CHAS. McCARTY, Pres. E. L. FENNETT, TOM F. POYLE, Vice-President
D. G. MANGE, Cashier, A. J. NASH, Asst. Cashier

Christmas will be here before you know it. Do your buying now.

WHEN Christmas came last year you could not wait till the last moment to do your Christmas shopping and be jammed, pushed and hurried all the time, and have to take "what's left" after the early shoppers had their pick.

Now is the time to cash in on that proposition.

Begin your Christmas buying today, we'll gladly save you purchases for you. Whether you buy of us or not don't put off gift-buying till the rush and crush gets here.

Practically all our Christmas goods are now on display and if you will come in now you can have first choice and plenty of time to look at everything. No other gift carries so much sentiment or feeling of appreciation as a piece of jewelry. Nor is it necessary to choose expensive jewels and gems. The important point is to make proper selections.

Our line offers you the widest range to select from any in this city. Our prices are, in no case, higher than elsewhere, and in instances, you will find them much lower. Every article in our stock is absolutely guaranteed to be just as represented. There is no qualification to this guaranty. We simply say, if the goods are not right please return them and we will refund your money.

SUGGESTIONS

Watches, Rings, Lockets, Necklaces, Bracelets, Cuff Buttons, Silverware, Cut Glass, Brass Goods, China.

U. B. Williams

THE JEWELER

"Williams' prices make it expensive for you to buy elsewhere."

Cleanliness, Purity,

and High Quality

3 Reasons Why STRONG'S BAKED GOODS

are better than all others. Only the best ingredients are used in our goods and you can get them fresh from the oven mornings and afternoons. All grocers sell them

HERMAN STRONG

O. E. S. RECEPTION

Charter Members Cyclamen Chapter Honored in Fine Event

The reception given by Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, Order of the Eastern Star, in honor of its charter members, on Friday evening, Nov. 24th, marked the date as a red letter day in the history of the chapter. A company of members and their invited guests numbering in all about one hundred fifty, gathered during the early evening, and as they passed into the lodge room exchanged greetings with the charter members, who were formed in reception line. At about eight-thirty the assembly was called to order by the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Clinton D. Hodges, who announced the following numbers of a program that proved interesting and pleasing.

Address of Welcome, Mrs. Emma C. Greene. She spoke of the benefits of lodge work in general and of the Eastern Star in particular and of flowers as expressive of beautiful thoughts, referring to the beauty of roses, and was very fittingly followed by Mrs. Lawrence Rutherford with the solo "Roses." During the singing a basket of roses was brought in by little Mary Cameron and Harold Anderson, who passed along the line of charter members, (seated along the east side of the lodge room,) handing a flower to each.

The response to the welcome was given by Mrs. Henry Stone, who spoke warmly of the pride taken by the founders of the chapter in its progress and prosperity. This was followed by a vocal solo by George M. Winegar, who responded to a generous encore. "The Beginning of Cyclamen Chapter," was the subject of an appropriate talk given by S. P. Hicks, who told of the early days of the order and of the founders themselves. Mrs. W. O. Merrill recited Tennyson's poem "Enoch Arden" as a cantillation, with R. D. Stocking as accompanist, the effect being touching and beautiful.

A vocal solo "Dainty Dorothea" by Mrs. Vesta Redmond was followed by the reading of a number of letters from charter members in various states by Mrs. Harvey J. Coons, secretary. Mrs. Hodges then called upon Messrs. George Winegar, Henry Stone and Willard S. Winegar from among the guests of honor, each of whom responded with impromptu remarks appropriate to the occasion, and also asked F. W. Hinyan to speak as a former member which he did pleasingly. Mesdames E. D. McQueen and Lawrence Rutherford sang an effective duet, "Suave River," and Worthy Patron, E. A. Anderson was then called upon. Mr. Anderson gave an eloquent, though brief address relative to the great work and influence of the order, beginning with a touching allusion to the Star of Bethlehem, which was centuries afterward, the inspiration for the founding of the Order of the Eastern Star. The program closed with the singing of one verse of Rock of Ages by the entire company.

After an enjoyable social session a march was formed and the assemblage was ushered into the dining room, where a delicious luncheon was served. The buffet and center table were prettily decorated with chrysanthemums, a bouquet of flowers also appearing in the lodge room. Later, Mrs. Merrill by request gave her popular rendition of the humorous poem "The Cornstalk Fiddle." The company dispersed at a late hour, many lingering to greet old friends.

The charter members present were: S. P. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stone (Grand Rapids), Mrs. Harriet Wisner, Charles Wiener, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Winegar, Mr. and Mrs. George Winegar (Morrice), Dr. and Mrs. O. C. McDannell, Messrs. and Mesdames F. T. King and Marks Ruben, Mrs. Orton Hill. Following are the rest of the thirty-two original members, some of whom are scattered in various states and several of whom have passed to the Great Beyond: Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Griswold (who were honored with the title of "father and mother of Cyclamen chapter," Clara Bostwick Gray, Mrs. Emily Hicks, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Rickett, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Althen, Grace Church Hathaway, C. G. Church, F. B. and Frances Clark, Albert and Sadie Jackson, Mrs. Ethel McDannell Brown and Chester G. Stone.

Among those present from out of town were the following, not already mentioned: Mrs. F. F. Joseph, recently of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hinyan of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis (nee Katherine Kinyon) of Alto, Miss Katherine Hunter of Kokford, B. C. Weick, Ponca City, Okla.

The Executive board of the Lowell board of trade met Tuesday to start things for the annual banquet. President Hicks, Vice President H. J. Coons and Secretary D. G. Mange were appointed committee of general arrangements and to appoint other committees.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Keller have moved from Pontiac to Detroit. Oscar Rivett of Crowell spent Sunday with Miss Mattie Gould.

Some New Lowell Homes



The foregoing photo engraving shows the pleasant new home of Miss Annie and Harley Maynard adjoining the old home on Bridge street. It has eight rooms and a bath and a hot water heating plant. Among the many attractions of this home is its fire place and mantel. Built by Ecker & Hatch.

WALSH-BOSTWICK LITERARY BANQUET

Former Lowell Young Couple Wed in Grand Rapids.

Leo Walsh and Miss Lina Bostwick, both of whom were former Lowell young people, were married in Grand Rapids Thursday night, Nov. 23, the ceremony being followed by a reception at their future home, at which were present only the immediate relatives and friends, and the business associates of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh both spent their childhood and school days in Lowell, the former having left his home town to accept the position which he has since occupied with Lemon & Wheeler, and both have a large circle of friends here, who wish them all happiness.

Miss Marguerite Walsh of Hastings, sister of the groom, and Howard Walsh of Detroit, his brother, were bridesmaid and groomsmen respectively. Mrs. J. Walsh, Mrs. R. W. Stone and son R. W. of West Branch, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas were also present.

Friday's Herald has the following: A marriage of two popular young people took place at 7:30 last night at the residence of Bishop Joseph Richter, when Miss Lina Bostwick, formerly a teacher in the public schools, was united in marriage to Leo Walsh, for twelve years sales manager for the Lemon & Wheeler Co.

CHORAL SERVICE

Fine Musical Program at M. E. Church Sunday Eve.

Services at the Methodist church Sunday evening, 10 a. m., love feast. 10:30 short sermon, subject: "Off with the old, on with the new," followed by communion. 12 m., Sunday school. 3:30 p. m., Junior League. 7 p. m., The following fine musical program will be rendered: Anthem, "Praise Ye the Father," choir. Vocal solo, Mrs. Ora Anderson. Quartette, "In Heavenly Love Abiding." Vocal solo, Miss Sisson. Duet, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Strong.

Hotel Men Charged With Option Violation.

IONIA, Mich., Nov. 24.—Bert Hackathorn, proprietor, and Charles Stewart, clerk of the Mair hotel, were in court here today on warrants charging them with violating the local option law. Sheriff Taylor confiscated a barrel of beer bottles and a quantity of liquor. Both gave bail to appear for examination December 1.

Correspondents Wanted.

THE LEDGER has a new correspondent at West Cascade. Ada village, Alto Stryna and Moseley are still unprovided. Special inducements to live writers and agents at these points.

The following party from Pewamo attended the Thanksgiving dance and visited James Davern: Will. Neville and Miss Mary Davern, Misses Mary Bannon and Cramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maynard and family are attending a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Maynard's brother, M. J. Backofen, at Flushing.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Smith of Boise City, Idaho, are here for an extended visit with Mrs. Scott Thomas and other relatives.

Arthur Sayles of Marquette visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayles yesterday on his way from Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moon of Cook's Corners visited the latter's aunt, Mrs. Ryder, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. W. O. Merrill and babies and Miss Blanche Wood are spending Thanksgiving in Detroit.

WANTED—Position on farm by the year, married man. Lock box no 5 Lowell. 1wp

A BIG EVENT SURE

Annual Meeting of Methodist Brotherhood Promises That

The Methodist Brotherhood are not going to have all the good things on Thanksgiving day but have reserved the best for the next week. At their annual meeting next Wednesday evening Dec. 6, the Methodist Brotherhood have arranged for the finest program of the season.

Elvin Swarthout, well known as a Grand Rapids attorney and leader in the Layman's forward movement, has been secured to address the men. Everyone is anxious to know what he will have to say and we prophesy a message that will stir up the men. His address will be along lines that will interest everyone and there will not be a dead minute the whole evening. There will also be a short address by the pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. L. E. Lennox, who has been a leader in men's work for a number of years and has organized several men's Christian societies in the places in which he has worked. He is anxious to meet and organize for work all the men associated with the Brotherhood at this time.

The program will also include several musical numbers remarks by the president, Dr. Merrill, and a social good time. Election of officers for the ensuing year will be held and the evening will be topped off with a splendid banquet. Don't forget the date, Oct. 6, 1911, and don't let anything keep you away. It will be your loss if you do.

FESE GETS PARROT

Constable Hoek Settles Vexing Problem of Ada Neighbors.

Constable George Hoek, now a duly qualified parrot expert, returned from Ada yesterday afternoon bearing in his hand a big red cage, containing the oldest parrot in the state of Michigan. He recovered the bird from the home of Harry O. Mann, where according to Peter Fese also of Ada, it had been wrongfully held and turned it over to Mrs. Fese, who shed tears of joy for the return of her pet. The contemplated replevin proceedings have been dropped.

When Hoek called at the Mann home, he was surprised to hear some one call out "Hello, you old stiff," and looking about, saw the much-sought-for parrot swinging in its cage on one end of the porch. It let out a flow of language that would put a prize fighter to shame, and then settled down to abuse the officer.

Hoek explained to Mrs. Mann that he understood that she was unable to put the bird through the tricks claimed for it by the owner, and when he requested that she scratch the bird's head, Mrs. Fese was called in and she not only succeeded in scratching the bird's head but shook hands with it and then persuaded Polly to put her head through the board of the cage and let Constable Hoek scratch it. That was evidence enough for Hoek, who declared Mrs. Fese the rightful owner of the bird. Mrs. Mann was paid a dollar for the cage and the constable departed with the parrot.—(Grand Rapids Herald, Nov. 25.

Another Narrow Escape.

Fire which broke out about 8 o'clock Friday evening in the old wooden store room at the rear of the Kopf block riddled the old building. Prompt action by the fire laddies prevented what might have been a great calamity. The adjoining warehouse buildings of the McCarty property were burned off and the rear doors of THE LEDGER office and Yetter & Wadsworth store were scorched and the glasses badly cracked and broken.

The ruins of the Kopf warehouse will be torn down and the adjoining one should follow suit as in its present condition it is little better than a trap.

Notice

The taxes for the township of Lowell become due Dec. 1st and may be paid at my office over the City State Bank. R. E. Springett, Treas.

Notice

Mrs. F. F. Joseph, after spending four weeks with her sisters and other relatives in Lowell and vicinity, left Friday for a visit with her sons who are in college at Des Moines, Ia., before joining her husband at Friendship, Wis.

Mrs. C. A. Barrows and son Otis Littlefield of Cascade bought the A. D. Oliver cottage on Monroe street, just vacated by Harold Hiller, and will make their home there. Consideration \$950.

Mrs. John Carson entertained about eight little boys Saturday afternoon in honor of the seventh birthday of her son, Harold. A dainty supper was served and the group photographed around the table.

Photos made by Avery in your own home in the way you are most generally seen by your friends have the most value to them. How about some for Christmas gifts? N. L. Avery.

Mrs. Gil Johnson was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Try • It • At • Our • Risk

We want you to try Rexall "93" Shampoo Paste, as advertised in the Saturday Evening Post. If it does not satisfy you, come back to us and get your money, it belongs to you and we want you to have it. You needn't promise or sign anything. Your word is enough.

REXALL

"93" SHAMPOO PASTE

removes and prevents dandruff, increases head comfort, promotes hair health and beauty. It is especially pleasing to ladies because it tends to make the hair soft, silky and fluffy and is easy to use. Price, 25 cents a jar.

Rexall "93" Shampoo Paste is sold in this city only at

The REXALL Store

You cannot buy it at any other store in this city. Remember we guarantee Rexall "93" Shampoo Paste to give entire satisfaction. This same guarantee applies to all the many other Rexall preparations. You risk no money by trying it.

D. G. LOOK

LOWELL Two Stores ALTO

"We both lose money when you don't trade here."

Fountain Pen Special

For one week I will make a "Special Low Price Sale" of my large stock of Fountain Pens. The stock includes the best makes, and the prices quoted—for one week only—will be an inducement to buy. A Fountain Pen makes an ideal present, and we will be glad to lay them away for you until needed.

Our whole line of Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Silverware, etc., will be sacrificed in price for the whole month of December, so take advantage of the opportunity to save money by buying your Xmas presents here.

December Records are good and we have them.

R. D. STOCKING, LOWELL

Get It Now

Don't buy ice in winter, but always buy COAL in summer and save yourself trouble later on.

Ask us About It Now



BE COAL WISE

EARL HUNTER

IF YOU GET IT AT CLARK'S ITS CLEAN

TRY A LOAF OF

TEDDY BEAR BREAD

BETTER THAN MOTHER EVER MADE

Clark's Confectionery

LISK (Self Basting) ROASTERS

Use a LISK to Roast your Thanksgiving Turkey this year

...Absolutely Self Basting...

Saves you time and worry. All you watch is the clock. You can get them in three sizes. Either turquoise or imperial gray enamel. TAKE NO RISK--BUY A LISK

Carvers

Nothing will add more to the appearance of your table than a set of

Robeson or Keen Cutter

Carvers. You will find elegance and real carving quality combined in these brands.

We have some handsome new designs this fall. Come in and see them.

SCOTT HARDWARE CO.

Dr. Bernad's Kidney Pills
ST. BERNARD'S
STERLING HEILIG

I HAVE just quit forty of the most magnificent dogs in the world—as big as calves, as husky as bears, as intelligent as any dog as pictured in any magazine, the Australian cattle dog, after fifteen months of a climate that is fit to turn a compass needle down completely, with swollen joints, inter-vertebral fluid and chronic arthritis. They were all bred and nurtured in the mountains and high country of the Alps, after fifteen months of a climate that is fit to turn a compass needle down completely, with swollen joints, inter-vertebral fluid and chronic arthritis.

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Quickly Cures Lameness, Weak Kidneys
Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills
Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills absolutely cure kidney and bladder troubles and other ailments connected with the urinary system. Their action is positive, certain—quick. They relieve all cases of kidney and bladder trouble, including diabetes, dropsy, bright's disease, urinary troubles, and rheumatism in any form.

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The Car from HIS OWN SHOP
By Mr. Van Vorst
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WOMAN RUNS A BANK
Sister of Jane Addams Heads Kansas Institutions
Located in Girard Twenty Years Ago and on the Death of Her Husband Became the Bank's President

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GATHERED SMILES
COMES NATURAL
No Need to Hurry
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Most Deadly of All Snakes

The cobra is considered the most deadly of all snakes... It is a snake of the Indian archipelago... It is a snake of the Indian archipelago... It is a snake of the Indian archipelago...

Palace Still Stands Empty

The Paris Hotel still stands empty... The Paris Hotel still stands empty... The Paris Hotel still stands empty...

Repair Work on the Farm

Repair work on the farm is a necessary part of the farmer's equipment... Repair work on the farm is a necessary part of the farmer's equipment... Repair work on the farm is a necessary part of the farmer's equipment...

Quickly Cures Lameness, Weak Kidneys

Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills absolutely cure kidney and bladder troubles... Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills absolutely cure kidney and bladder troubles... Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills absolutely cure kidney and bladder troubles...

Splendid Groves in Saskatchewan

The old-fashioned cedar and spruce forests of middle Tennessee now furnish the world's main supply of cedar pencils... The old-fashioned cedar and spruce forests of middle Tennessee now furnish the world's main supply of cedar pencils...

Your Liver Is Clogged Up

Your liver is clogged up with biliousness... Your liver is clogged up with biliousness... Your liver is clogged up with biliousness...

May Trespass in England

At this season it is pleasant to stroll in the fields... At this season it is pleasant to stroll in the fields... At this season it is pleasant to stroll in the fields...

Arizona Is His Favorite

In forty-seven years George Carey of Columbia did not leave the territory... In forty-seven years George Carey of Columbia did not leave the territory... In forty-seven years George Carey of Columbia did not leave the territory...

Spinal Irritation

Spinal irritation is a common ailment... Spinal irritation is a common ailment... Spinal irritation is a common ailment...

For Headaches

Caused by sick stomach, ill regulated bowels, sluggish blood, nervous strain or overwork... Caused by sick stomach, ill regulated bowels, sluggish blood, nervous strain or overwork... Caused by sick stomach, ill regulated bowels, sluggish blood, nervous strain or overwork...

W. L. Douglas
Shoes

The GRAND RAPIDS EVENING PRESS

Xmas Bargain Days Offer

Bargain No. 1	Bargain No. 2	Bargain No. 3
The Evening Press one year \$2.00	The Evening Press one year \$2.00	The Evening Press one year \$2.00
The Lowell Ledger one year 1.00	The Lowell Ledger one year 1.00	The Lowell Ledger one year 1.00
Michigan Farmer one year 1.00	Farm and Fireside one year 1.00	Profitable Turkey one year \$4.00
Bargain Days, \$2.80	Bargain Days \$2.70	Bargain Days \$2.65

Good Only From Dec. 15th to Dec. 24th, 1911
ON RURAL FREE DELIVERY ONLY

THE LOWELL LEDGER

F. M. JOHNSON, Proprietor

ability and will make other lives happier or better, may the Good Lord make us all truly thankful!

The demand for a presidential primary is growing and will not diminish. If the people are to choose between Taft and Wilson as Republican and Democratic nominees they are also only competent to choose which of the two they prefer. The Republican should lead the Republican ticket and whether Wilson, Clark or any other name shall be the Democratic ticket. We have had government by party bosses more than long enough, now give the people a chance to try. For President long enough, now give the people a chance to try. For President long enough, now give the people a chance to try.

GRANGE MAN STATE OFFICER
Organization Recognized in Connecticut's New Secretary of State Board of Agriculture.

The Grange gained recognition in Connecticut, where the newly appointed secretary of the State Board of Agriculture in 1911, rather than the master of the Connecticut State Grange, Leonard H. Healey of North Woodstock. The latter has already entered upon his duties and has set about inaugurating a new era of efficiency and action for that department of the state government. At the time of his selection there was a feeling of uneasiness between Healey and the former incumbent of the office, which was broken when Healey called on Healey to meet and discuss his plans for the year.

WOMAN WHO BURIED HER HUSBAND
The woman who buried her husband in a coffin of her own making, and who was charged with the murder of her husband, is a woman who has been found guilty of the crime. The woman, who is a native of this state, was found guilty of the crime of murdering her husband, and was sentenced to the state prison for a term of years.

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WE WANT YOUR THANKSGIVING GROCERY ORDER

Our stock is complete. You will find everything here for your Thanksgiving dinner and if you want the best try

VANDYKE'S

Grape Fruit	Sweet Potatoes
Oranges	Celery
Bananas	Radishes
Tomato	Shrimp
Malaga Grapes	Peas
Cranberries	Green Beans
Figs	Olives
Apples	Cashew Nuts

GET IT AT IF YOU VANDYKE'S IT'S GOOD

Vera's Vacation

HOLIDAY OPENING DECEMBER 8th and 9th

Free Souvenir to Ladies Attending An Invitation to the People of Lowell and Vicinity

Now that the cooler days of winter have come you will naturally spend more of your time indoors, and give more thought to making your home, not only beautiful, but comfortable as well. At this time we wish to remind you that we occupy the 3-story building between McQueen's livery barn and the City State bank, and formerly occupied as a furniture store by Mr. W. H. Hakes.

We have the three floors of this building well filled with beautiful, new, up-to-date FURNITURE AND HOME FURNISHINGS

We urge you to come in and look around whether you wish to buy or not, but should we have the pleasure of serving you we guarantee courteous treatment and satisfaction in every transaction or money refunded.

We carry a large stock of Floor Coverings and on these dates will show an extra large assortment of sample Carpets and Linoleums.

Our goods are marked in plain figures and an investigation of quality will prove that our prices are very moderate.

Remember, as a special inducement, we allow 10 per cent discount on all purchases made during these two days.

Don't forget the date, **Friday and Saturday, December 8 and 9.** Come and bring your neighbors.

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Funeral Director and Embalmer Lowell, Mich.

You Can Get Better Shoes at Lower Prices

GET ACQUAINTED with "Endwell" shoes. You will learn some things about shoe style and perfect shoe comfort that you've never known before.

"Endwell" shoes will outwear any other shoes ever bought for equal money. Because they are made of Endicott-Johnson leather—the only leather in this country tanned by shoe manufacturers for their own shoes.

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Lowell Markets

Corrected Nov. 29, 1911

Wheat, red, 60 lb.	31
Wheat, white, 60 lb.	48
Corn	30
Corn Meal per ton	20
Barley	25
Hay	15
Straw	10
Timothy	10
Alfalfa	10
Butter	25
Eggs	15
Potatoes	75
Onions	10
Carrots	10
Beets	10
Apples	10
Pears	10
Oranges	10
Lemons	10
Strawberries	10
Raspberries	10
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Cherries	10
Plums	10
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Our Country Cousins

EAST CASCADE-ADA.

Miss Blanche Young and her family spent a few days in Grand Rapids Saturday.

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45 YEARS SELLING GOOD SHOES

Bangs is here with the right goods for the Thanksgiving dinner, at the right prices. If you want your dinner to "taste like more," buy your supplies at

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Pere Marquette to Florida

WITHOUT CHANGE

Little more preparation required for a trip to Florida than for your usual summer outing, and the cost is surprisingly low.

"The Florida Limited"

with drawing room sleeper direct to Jacksonville, leave Detroit (Union Depot) daily at 10:45 p. m., beginning November 28, 1911. Talk with your local agent, or write H. F. Moeller, G.P.A., Detroit.

The Growth of Fire Insurance

OF Springett & Braisted

Monuments we put up have Grace & Symmetry

From foundation to finish to extruded only to skilled workmen. That's why?

We'll like to show you some of our work. It recommends itself. All we have to say are delighted, and praise what we do.

Look Over Our Designs They Will Please You

We have the largest stock of finished Monuments in Michigan to select from.

Lowell Granite & Marble Works. J. H. Hamilton.

COLLARS, COATS, CAPS

CONTINUED

DEC. 2 - EVERY CLOAK SACRIFICED - DEC. 9

Our sale of one week's has been a big success, but we are determined to still further reduce our stock and will continue the sale one week longer.

LOT 1

Ladies' Black Coats, good warm garments, some of them lined, but out of style, coats that are good for rough wear, every day from 2 to 4 p. m.,

\$1.98

LOT 5

We have a few fancy Coats, all of them new, that have been marked \$10, \$12 and \$13. We are going to sell them out as soon as possible, and have cut them to rock bottom prices. The early customers get the best bargains.

The choice of the lot for

\$8.00

LOT 3

Children's Cloth Coats in a splendid assortment of colors and sizes, bargains at \$5 and \$6. your choice of the lot for

\$3.49

LOT 2

Ladies' Black Coats, both Kersey and Broadcloth, good warm garments, that include \$14, \$13 and \$12 values, to be sacrificed for

\$8.90

LOT 4

Children's Coats in the larger sizes, 10, 12 and 14 years, serviceable garments, but out of style, every day from 1 to 5 p. m.,

\$1.29

E. R. COLLAR

LOWELL - MICH.

DECEMBER 2 - DECEMBER 9

Probate Notice

Notice is hereby given that the probate court for the county of Kent, Michigan, has appointed the undersigned as executor of the last will and testament of the late Mrs. M. J. Hakes, deceased, and that all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are to present the same to the undersigned for payment or settlement on or before the 10th day of December, 1911, at the office of the undersigned, in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Wm. H. Hakes, Executor.

Thanksgiving Groceries

Bangs is here with the right goods for the Thanksgiving dinner, at the right prices. If you want your dinner to "taste like more," buy your supplies at

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You pay for a poor one part down and burn extra fuel every year—and its life is short.

Steam for a "Rapid" Hot Water or Skuan Plant when it is installed, and it saves fuel every year. If given proper care, there is no telling how long it will last. "Rapid" Boilers installed 10 years ago have paid back their cost and are good as new.

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We are exclusive agents for the "Rapid" and having installed several, cannot speak too highly of their great economy and efficiency. Being made in Grand Rapids quick service can be had in future years.

Let us estimate on your heating. The cold weather isn't far off—now is the time to prepare for it.

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Your Money Back for the Asking! You Promise Nothing.

We are so confident that we can furnish relief for indigestion and dyspepsia that we promise to supply the medicine free of cost to everyone who uses it according to directions which are not perfectly satisfied with the results.

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WEST LOWELL.

Miss Grace Hookins of Zeeland spent several days last week with Mrs. H. Dawson.

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SABLEY CORNERS

Monday to attend the funeral of his late wife, Mrs. M. J. Hakes, deceased.

Our teacher, Miss Raymond has been extending her friend, Miss Rockwood the past week.

CASCADE VILLAGE.

Mr. John W. Hulbert will entertain the Ladies Aid society Thursday, Dec. 14, for dinner.

Miss Anna Richardson was visiting friends at Lowell last week.

OAK GROVE

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sandborn of Beloit, Wis., will be in town on Friday, Dec. 15, from Thursday to Monday.

James Hines and family spent Sunday in Saranac with relatives.

CHILDREN INJURED

Ordinary Cathartics and Purgatives Cause Distressing Complaints.

You cannot be over-cautious in the selection of medicine for children. Only the very gentlest, most reliable medicine should ever be given, except in emergency cases. Ordinary pills, cathartics and purgatives are apt to do more harm than good. They may cause griping, nausea and other distressing after-effects that are frequently health-destroying.

LOGAN LOCALS.

Logan has been on the move the past week. Mrs. Nellie Ford moved her household goods to Lowell on Tuesday. John Miller moved from the Waterman farm in Vankle to the Thompson place in Vankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Hakes spent a few days in Grand Rapids Saturday.

EAST LOWELL.

Water College of Big Rapids visited in Grand Rapids last week.

Miss Irene Sargent and Mrs. Northrup visited the former's mother, Mrs. Sargent from Saturday until Monday.

REGULAR BOWELS THE KEY TO HEALTH

You can't be well if you are constipated. Your blood action proves that your system is diseased. This should be attended to at once or the consequences may be serious.

VELAXO

It is a vegetable tablet which is more than a cathartic; it purifies your stomach and bowels of undigested matter which is neglected, may poison the whole body and cause your constipation. It sweetens your breath; gives refreshing and a big appetite.

VERGENNES STATION.

The annual meeting of the Vergennes Baptist church will be held at the church Saturday, December 9, at 10 o'clock for the election of officers and all other business. Plans will be made for the next year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Porter, of Clark Co., N. Y., spent the week-end in Grand Rapids.

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PROGRESSIVE OF THREE PARTIES TO MEET IN CHICAGO TO FORM NEW PARTY.
The Progressive Party of the United States, the Progressive Party of the State of Michigan, and the Progressive Party of the State of Wisconsin, are holding their annual convention in Chicago, Ill., from Oct. 15 to 17. The convention will be held at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, and will be presided over by the Hon. Charles McNamara, U. S. Senator from Michigan. The convention will discuss the platform of the Progressive Party, and will elect delegates to the National Progressive Convention to be held in Chicago, Ill., in 1912.

GOVERNMENT MAY ALSO PRODUCE AGAINST CLAIMANTS UNDER CRIMINAL STATUTES.
The U. S. Department of the Interior has announced that it will prosecute anyone who claims land in Alaska under a patent issued by the U. S. Land Office, if the claimant is not a citizen of the United States. The department has also announced that it will prosecute anyone who claims land in Alaska under a patent issued by the U. S. Land Office, if the claimant is not a citizen of the United States.

U. S. TROOPS TO BORDER.
The U. S. Army has ordered 10,000 troops to the border with Mexico. The troops are being moved to the border in order to maintain order and to prevent the spread of disease. The troops are being moved to the border in order to maintain order and to prevent the spread of disease.

A Remarkable Offer
By special arrangement with The McCall Co. of New York City, we offer everyone the opportunity to secure The Lowell Ledger, a weekly magazine, for one year, by subscribing to McCall's Magazine for 3 years at the rate of 50¢ per year. In addition you receive FREE 3 1/2 McCall's Patterns, which really makes McCall's Magazine and The Lowell Ledger cost only \$1.05.

HOW ROBERT ROGERS, MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR, WOULD ADDRESS HIMSELF TO AMERICANS.
During the course of a reply to an address presented to him by Robert Rogers, the newly appointed Minister of the Interior of Canada, at a banquet given at Winnipeg in his honor that gentleman spoke on immigration. The tone of his remarks was that he intended to pursue an aggressive and forward policy in the matter of immigration. In fact, he said:

WAS THE OLDEST CHICAGOAN
Fernando Jones, Chicago's oldest inhabitant, and for years the most picturesque old man among the survivors of the city's pioneer days, died at his home in Chicago, Ill., on Oct. 14. He was 92 years of age. He was born in the town of Llanfair, North Wales, on Oct. 14, 1816. He came to Chicago in 1845, and remained here until his death. He was a member of the first generation of the city's pioneer population. He was a member of the first generation of the city's pioneer population.

VALUABLE HUNTING IN SPAIN
The use of firearms is very popular in Spain. Hunting is so popular that 200,000,000 sporting cartridges were sold in Spain last year. The value of the sporting cartridge trade in Spain is estimated at \$100,000,000. The value of the sporting cartridge trade in Spain is estimated at \$100,000,000.

VALUE OF TAILOR SUIT
A woman who wears an expensive tailored suit will wear it for years. The value of a tailored suit is estimated at \$100. The value of a tailored suit is estimated at \$100.

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It will be welcome news to dyspeptics to learn of a remedy that, in the opinion of the medical profession, is a better one than any other. The remedy is Dr. Caldwell's Pink Pills for Pale People. It is a natural cure for indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headache, and all other ailments of the stomach and bowels. It is a natural cure for indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headache, and all other ailments of the stomach and bowels.

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With orders for \$1.00 worth of groceries, not including flour and sugar.

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60 Tea	47c	M. and J. Blend	35c
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3 1-lb packages Raisins	30c	6 cans Fancy Corn	47c
1 lb Bulk Coconut	19c	4-oz bottle Vanilla Ext	25c
3 Cakes Bon Ami	23c	50c can Karo Syrup	38c
3 pkgs Corn Flakes	25c	1-2 lb Ground Pepper	12c
1-2 lb can Best Cocoa	20c	4-oz bottle Lemon Ext	25c

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

George Lake was in Detroit Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rouse are spending Thanksgiving in Grand Rapids.

W. P. Harvey of Benton Harbor was in town on business Monday.

Harry Delk was home from his work in Grand Rapids over Sunday.

Special show at the Idle Hour theater Thanksgiving afternoon and evening.

Mrs. J. B. Williams will spend Saturday and Sunday with her people at Lansing.

Mrs. Bessie Cogswell of Grand Rapids is the guest of Mrs. F. G. Hoffman for a few days.

Mrs. J. F. Daniels of Grand Rapids was the guest of her brother, Orton Hill, Monday.

M. N. Henry and family went to Chicago Saturday to spend a few days with Paul Mcarty.

The Cheerful Doors of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. W. D. Ogg Thursday Dec. 7.

Mrs. George Willard and daughters, Louie and June, are spending Thanksgiving in Grand Rapids.

Pure flour for baking good things to eat. Alton Pearl brand can't be beat. Sold by your dealer.

Ladies, bring this ad. to my store and get a 50c jar, balm of almonds for 25c. Henry the Druggist.

Mrs. C. O. Lawrence was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Miss Irene Stone of Saranac is spending a few days with Lowell friends.

D. O. Shear and daughter, Mrs. Wilson Washburn, spent Sunday at Belding.

Benj. Terwilliger is spending Thanksgiving with his daughter in Grand Rapids.

Miss Ruby Ernst is home from Grand Rapids where she spent the military season.

Messrs A. G. and P. C. Peckham made a business trip to Brantford, Ont., Friday and Saturday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. King and daughter, Florence, and Miss Helen King are visiting friends in Bay City.

600 rolls all colors 10c quality crepe paper for Christmas decorations, 5c the roll at Henry's drug and book store.

Mrs. D. B. Davidson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Weekes. Rev. and Mrs. Davidson are moving from Alpena to Lyons.

Misses Marguerite Southard, Kathryn Lailey and Bertha Bergin are spending Thanksgiving with the Normal girls at Ypsilanti.

Make this a book Christmas. Nothing makes so appropriate a gift, 500 standard titles at 25c, beautiful bindings at Henry's drug and book store.

My sixth annual December watch sale will show better values this year than ever, and the stock is the largest I have ever had. R. D. Stocking.

Remember THE LEDGER job department on your next printing order. What you want, as you want it, when you want it.

Smoke Metz's straight five. The Evening Press on sale at THE LEDGER office.

Fountain pen special one week at Stocking's.

Phone 177 if you have laundry to send. Basket goes Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. McBain of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting Lowell friends this week.

Mrs. O. O. Adams visited friends at Weyland and Grand Rapids last week.

Special show at the Idle Hour theater Thanksgiving afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schneider of Keene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kinyon.

Grant Jackson and Gordon Delaney have been spending several days at Kalamazoo.

Miss Blanche Thomas of Grand Rapids visited her cousin, Miss Ethel Thomas, over Sunday.

The Young Ladies' Circle was entertained at the home of Miss Ola Johnson Saturday evening.

Unclaimed letters at the post office: J. B. Hill, France Huckletberry, P. O. Oorch, Miss Clara Earl.

The Evening Press, Grand Rapids' enterprising daily can be bought every day at LEDGER office.

Pure flour for baking good things to eat. Alton Pearl brand can't be beat. Sold by your dealer.

A fine new Fox typewriter has been installed at THE LEDGER office. Public work neatly and promptly executed.

D. O. Shear went to Belding Friday for a few days. His plans for the winter are unsettled but he may spend most of the time in Grand Rapids.

TAKE CARE! DON'T GET STUNG



At this time of year there are many alluring advertisements in regard to the merits of certain stoves. Don't be misled, buy a stove with a reputation.

Here are some figures compiled by the P. D. Beckwith, Round Oak people, who make good goods only. No seconds, no thirds, simply one grade and that the best possible to make.

A COMPARISON BETWEEN

	The Round Oak Three flue base burner	A Standard Three flue base burner of other make, same size
Height from floor to top of urn	74 inches	74 inches
Height of pipe collar	36 1/2 inches	37 1/2 "
Area radiating surface of bottom	576 sq. inches	576 square inches
Area of circulating flue heating surface	757 sq. inches	318 "
Area of radiating surface of back	736 sq. inches	708 "
Area radiating surface below mica not including back	624 sq. inches	288 "
Area of circulating hot air flue	27 sq. inches	8 1/2 "
Total area of flue surface with which products of combustion come in contact	2703 sq. inches	1890 "

Extra heating surface in the Round Oak 813 square inches.

Percentage of increased heating surface in the Round Oak over a standard three flue base burner same size of other make, 42 per cent.

There is nothing gained in sending away to Grand Rapids or Kalamazoo. Don't think you are buying a dollars worth for fifty cents. We make the stove business a study, and give you the very best possible for the money, and when you buy a Round Oak you get the product of one of the largest and best factories in the world, who have been making stoves over 40 years.

R. T. FORD

The Store that Sells Round Oak Stoves

Heard About Town

Piano tuning, R. D. Stocking. Miss Anna Wallmark is working in Grand Rapids.

Harry Deane of Kalamazoo was in town Tuesday.

Special sale of watches during December at Stocking's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gunn are spending Thanksgiving in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Miller are visiting in Grand Rapids and Freeport.

Special show at the Idle Hour theater Thanksgiving afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Yeiter and daughter Florence were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Public stenography and typewriting at THE LEDGER office. Competent, confidential.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Avery and sons are spending Thanksgiving with relatives in Belding.

George Bird, who has been suffering with rheumatism for some time, is slightly recovered.

Mrs. Ed Stinton is moving into the Hill house on Washington street, purchased by her last spring.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Cook of Flint are spending a few days with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Conklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Conklin of Grand Rapids are visiting their parents, Messrs. and Mesdames Conklin and Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Merriman and family of Grand Rapids are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Merriman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nixon and son Lawrence of Grand Rapids are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Orton Hill.

Visit our store Saturday, Dec. 2, for Christmas suggestions. We will have many special features to show you. Henry's Drugstore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacKenzie of Manistee and Miss Ida Cogswell are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Cogswell.

Messrs Ernest Rauber and Albert Thomet left Saturday on a prospecting trip to Chicago, Peoria and various points in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanallsburg and son Aric of Coopersville and Dr. and Mrs. Walkley of Grand Haven are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lillie.

In past seasons we have always shown the best assortment of holiday goods. This year is no exception. Let us show you. Henry the Druggist.

Mrs. Wayne Young and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Young and son Wayne are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Behler in Grand Rapids.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Clyde E. Wolf and Margaret Hickey of Grattan and to Norval Anderson of Vergennes and Jennie Slack of Otsego.

Mrs. Lawrence Rutherford is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Thomas Spight and three children of Buenos Ayres, South America. They expect to remain until after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Scott are entertaining the following for Thanksgiving: Miss Florence Scott from Ithaca, Miss Carrie Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blow and Miss Mabel Scott, all of Grand Rapids.

Lloyd Perry was home from Grand Rapids Sunday and Monday accompanied by Peter Jakowski, abstract clerk in the recorder's office, and the two enjoyed a hunting trip, bringing in 21 rabbits and 8 partridges.

Miss Nina Miner went to Lowell Monday for a short visit with friends at that place. Mrs. Bruce Pickard returned to her home in Lowell Monday after a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith.—[Belding Banner.

Mrs. W. Merrill will recite the whole book of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" by Frances Hodgson Burnett, at the Methodist church December 14. Excellent musical numbers. Price of admission 15c. Under the auspices of the Intermediate league.

Misses Mary Delaney and Alice Crawford are home from their schools at Kalamazoo for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Mrs. J. Walsh, Mrs. R. W. Stone and son R. W. of West Branch, Mich., were in town last Friday, calling on old friends.

Atty. B. C. Wieck of Ponca City, Oklahoma, was the guest of Dr. C. H. Anderson over Friday night, while enroute to St. Louis, Mich. on a business trip.

Get your auction sale bills at THE LEDGER office. Free notice of sale free with every job, reaching 6500 readers. Notice worth more than bills. This office only.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cameron are entertaining as Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. John Headworth and children and Miss Mary Childs of Grand Rapids.

A. E. McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Roman and family of Grand Rapids and Chas. McMahon of Middleville are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hiler have bought the bungalow built by Lowell Lumber company on East Water street, and have moved into their new home this week.

250 new popular copyright books, The Calling of Dan Mathews and the good new ones by the best authors. Were \$1.50 now 50c at Henry's drug and book store.

Buying my diamonds from the largest diamond cutters in the U. S. for spot cash enables me to sell much lower than if bought from jobbers or wholesalers. R. D. Stocking.

The Young Ladies' Circle of the Methodist church has just installed a handsome brass choir-rail with a crimson curtain harmonizing nicely with the furnishings of the church.

A Hyomei outfit costs only \$1.00 at M. N. Henry's. He guarantees it. It is worth \$50 to any sufferer from catarrh, asthma, coughs, colds and catarrhal deafness—just breathe it.

It's the educational opportunity of your lifetime. Now that the presidential campaign is opening you will want to be posted. \$1.60 pays for both our paper and LaFollette's Weekly year.

Parisian Sage is guaranteed to stop falling hair and itching scalp; to abolish dandruff and destroy the dandruff germ, or money back. It puts life and beauty into faded hair. 50 cents at M. N. Henry's.

Mrs. Agnes Wiley, who has been spending the autumn with relatives and friends in Lowell and vicinity, left Saturday for Rib Lake, Wis., where she will spend a few weeks before going to her future home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Jane Scribner, aged eighty-two, died at the Kalamazoo asylum, where she was taken about three weeks ago from the Kent County Home. The body was brought to Lowell, where she formerly lived, and funeral service and burial took place Tuesday afternoon in South Boston. She leaves a son, Alex Scribner of Ionia and a daughter, Mrs. Graham of Grand Rapids.

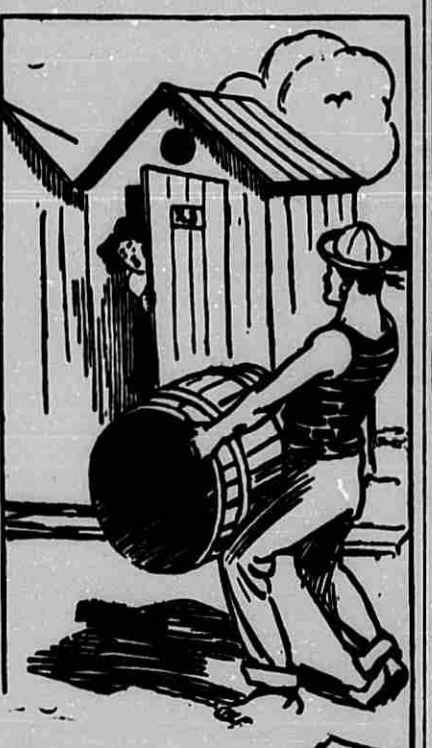
The annual meeting and election of officers in the Woodmen will be held Monday evening, December 11, followed by a banquet and program at the City hall. The committees are busy with arrangements to make this meeting a great treat. Monday evening December 4, will be a class adoption under the direction of the degree team. Refreshments will be served.

SHOES AND CLOTHES OF BATHERS SWIPED

GIRLS WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THIEF WHO STOLE APPAREL SENTENCED FOR LIFE.

Newark, N. J.—If the dozen young women guests of the Sunrise Mountain house at Pine Brook lay hands on the man who stole their shoes and stockings when they were in swimming, New Jersey's meanest thief will yell for the police to save him. Think of having to tramp barefooted and bare legged over a quarter mile of stubble.

Many of the young women guests bathe in the Passaic river and to go to the bath houses have to wade through water ankle deep. So they take off their shoes and stockings before stepping from the shore. Twelve young women went to the river before breakfast to take a dip and left their shoes and stockings behind.



Minus Her Clothes.

Behind a fence. A half hour afterward cries of distress brought other hotel guests. Miss Kate Bernstein, the first to dress, waded ashore to the spot where she had left her shoes. Not a pair was in sight, nor a stocking either. Shriilly she shouted the alarm and the other girls splashed to her. The hubbub actually drowned the buzz of the mosquitoes. The clothing of some of the young woman was stolen from the bathhouse.

TIE THEMSELVES TO THE BED

Epidemic of Somnambulism in the Town of Milan, O. Makes People Cautious.

Milan, O.—The village of Milan, almost as famous for its numerous widows of wealth and attractiveness as for its notable men—Thomas A. Edison, inventor, and Hal Reid, playwright, among others—is threatened with an epidemic of somnambulism. Already the sleep disease has claimed two victims.

Milan hardware dealers report that the demand for rope among the villagers bids fair to exhaust the supply. Asked what the rope was wanted for the customers said they wanted it so when they go to bed they tie one end of a strand to a leg or an arm and the other to a door knob or a bed post. Some tie their doors shut, they say.

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Tied to the Bed.

Of course, if the rope supply runs out a stray fish cord attached to the big toe and serenely fastened to the bed post ought to work well.

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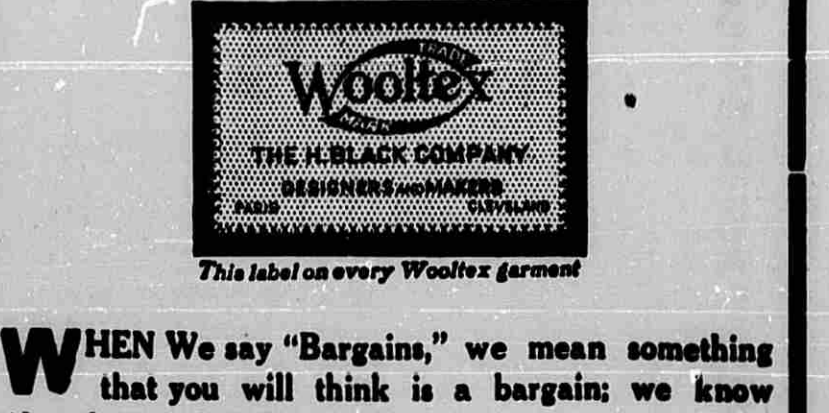
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Never Neglect HEADACHES They're nerve-racking and indicate hidden trouble. Whatever the cause, Caparine stops the headache and goes right to the foundation of the disorder, removing it and aiding nature to complete the cure.

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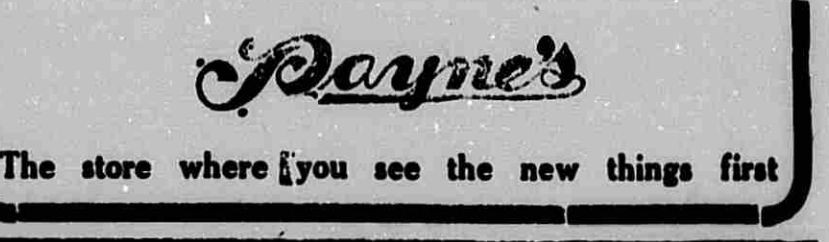


WHEN We say "Bargains," we mean something that you will think is a bargain; we know what the word means.

These \$10 and \$15 Coats

are making something of a sensation. Well they ought to; they're beyond any doubt the best garments shown at such prices. The patterns, colors and weaves are striking and original; the models are in the latest fashions; the tailoring is first-class.

They're Unusual at \$10 and \$15



He Didn't Care

ensure catch you looking like this you'd put on your coat and shoes and collar at once! Mrs. McSloy always looks as though she had come out of a bandbox, and—

"She can go right back into a bandbox for all of me!" persisted Prill, angrily. "I'd have you understand that I'm just as good as the McSloys! And all their relations! This today-making makes me tired! Isn't this my own house? Why should I have to consult McSloy about my wearing apparel? You'll be wanting me to telephone him to ask whether I shall wear my blue pajamas or my pink ones! If Mrs. McSloy's delicate constitution can't stand the shock of seeing a man without a collar, I don't think I'd bother about knowing her if I were you!"

"Their first call, too!" mourned Prill. "And first impressions count so?"

"Fudge!" said Prill. "You are the slave of conventions..."

"John!" hissed his wife, as she sprang to her feet. "There are the McSloys!"

An automobile was chugging slowly down before the house.

Then came the sound of a large body heaving and scrambling. Prill tumbled out of the hammock. He hurried through the open window into the living room, in whose dark fastnesses reposed most of his wearing apparel. As he disappeared there was a crash. He had overturned the fernery.

"Throw in my shoes!" he called softly.

There was a bang and a growl as he bumped against a rocking chair. Something tore as he struggled with his vest. When he groped for his coat his head encountered a corner of the piano. Finally, gasping, breathless, with his vest upside down and his collar twisted in weird convolutions under one ear, Prill desperately ventured out on the front porch to meet the McSloys.

"John," said Mrs. Prill when he appeared. "This is the agent for the new refrigerator! It is telling you about— he thought he'd find you at home! he came in the evening!"

"What are you giggling about?" growled her husband. "I was just going to put on my things, anyhow— think the weather's turning cooler!"

The Usual Reason.

"Just because the De Fausques found their butler celebrating the anniversary of his wedding, they discharged him."

"I suppose they thought since he was loaded, the proper thing to do was to fire him."

None on Hand.

Doc Squires was a queer old "yarb" doctor of decidedly limited education who flourished in New England a good many years ago. One day some one said to him:

"See here, doc, have you any diploma?"

"Wal, no; I ain't got none on hand just now, but I'm goin' to dig some soon as the ground thaws out is the spring."

Henry's Christmas

Reminder

Christmas is near again, and again you are thinking what to get for Helen and John and Willie and Mary. We believe if you would only pay a visit to our store we could help you solve the problem.

Our stock is complete in every department. You can find something that will make a handsome present for every one, from baby to grandma.

We extend to you a hearty invitation to visit our store early and stay late. With the compliments of the season, we wish you a Merry and a Happy Christmas.

Henry's Modern Drug and Book Store Lowell, Mich.

P. S.—Old Santa Claus says: "Come to our store Saturday, Dec. 9, 1911." He has something for you.