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GARDINER & BAXTER.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Realizing that the only thing that will remove the hair and other things from the heads of some boys who attend the truancy school is a pair of clippers Foster & Stevens presented Truancy Officer Fee with a pair to be used at the truancy school.

Ex-Supervisor Joseph W. Walker dropped into the session of the board of supervisors yesterday afternoon. On Saturday the board presented a beautiful water set to Mr. Walker, who was formerly chairman of the board.

Benjamin F. Harwood, a well known real estate agent, and Miss Ananda Ely of No. 38 McDowell street will be married November 1 at 8 p. m., by the Rev. A. M. Gould, at the latter's residence, No. 56 Barclay street.

George DeWitt, the young man whose hand was severely burned by gasoline last week at Buckley Bros. factory, will be sent to his home at Harford this morning by the county superintendent of the poor.

Mrs. R. H. Stevens will be at home No. 1220 South Division street today to sell tickets for the St. Cecilia's Thursday afternoon concert. She will be at the club house on Sheldon street.

About sixty members of Harmony lodge, A. O. U. W., paid Washington to go a visit last evening and assisted in the initiating of twenty-six new members.

Superintendent Chalmers yesterday purchased five lots of John Kelly, in Reynolds & Franklin's addition to the city, for a consideration of \$2,700.

Will H. Mitchell of Coopersville, who has been visiting his father, Henry Mitchell of No. 388 Crescent avenue, returned to his home last night.

The Hon. C. I. Mable and wife of Strom City, Kan., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. McGarrin of No. 157 Ellis street avenue.

Oscar J. Merritt has sold his entire subdivision to Eben Reynolds, L. A. Franklin and William E. Yager for \$16,000.

Gerrit Westberg, Ole Jorgenson and A. Bertelsen were admitted to citizenship yesterday by Judge Adair.

The White & Friant Lumber Co., is daily sending about thirty men to its lumber camp in Luce county.

Mrs. Treat will lecture before the Kindergarten society in the Y. M. C. A. parlors Wednesday afternoon.

The state bank of Michigan has the largest capital of any state or savings bank in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. B. C. Leavenworth has returned from Dakota, where she has been visiting.

A county teacher's examination will be held in the court house Friday.

Fred J. Morrison was appointed fifth sergeant of Co. B last night.

Arthur Stow has returned from an extended western trip.

The Horticultural society will meet at Sparks today.

There were twenty real estate transfers yesterday.

Mrs. G. B. Everts has returned from Chicago.

PRIMITIVE NEVADA JUSTICE. A Young Western Lawyer Pleads His First Case.

"And talking of Nevada, I see my old friend Bill Stone is candidate for governor," said the speaker to a man on the Kansas City Times. "I have known the Stone family ever since they moved to Nevada, and I heard Bill Stone plead his first case. It was a good many years ago, more than twenty, anyway. I do not remember the name of the judge, but a notorious horse thief was up for trial on a charge of stealing cattle. As he had no counsel the court appointed Bill Stone to defend the case. Stone took his man over to a window and talked to him for a few minutes, then announced that he was ready for trial. 'We plead guilty, your honor, to the charge against us,' announced the young lawyer. The court wasted no time in giving a verdict, for horse stealing was a heinous offense in those days in this part of the country, and condemned the man to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

"But, judge, we plead guilty," yelled Stone, expressions of amusement and disappointment alternating on his face.

"Fifteen years," repeated the judge.

"But, judge, we plead guilty," repeated Bill Stone, raising his long arms like windmills. But the judge was obdurate.

"If that is the case," said Stone, "we will agree the case," and he forthwith started in upon the defense. For thirty minutes he argued and pleaded with that eloquence that is characteristic of him and at the end of his harangue he sat down and watched the effect of his words. The judge smiled and made the sentence five years. Bill Stone had won his first case."

SOME REMARKABLE FEATS. Some of the Tricks of a Wizard Glisten on the Free Press.

A traveler who made a tour of the Orient and who, by the way, is something of a magician himself, tells the following wonderful story of his experience with some of the wizards of the far east:

"One of these was begun by the largest man in the group, who threw a great deal of rubbish for toward the sky. As it seemed to him a small hawk seemed to be liberated from it. He stooped around a few times, and the ends of the ribbons in his neck and

then made off toward a small, white cloud which apparently formed before our eyes.

"From this cloud there now slid to the ground a snake, a frog and a smiling naïve baby, which one of the wizards' wives caught in her arms and held out for the wondering crowd to inspect. Next, all of the magicians save the larger (a perfect giant in stature) now left the place. The giant then sat down upon the ground. He then spread a large colored umbrella in such a manner as to wholly conceal himself from our party. Calling me to his side he exacted a promise from me to remove the umbrella after the expiration of exactly five minutes by the watch. I did as he had directed and was unexpectably surprised to find that the giant had disappeared, though the earth where he had been sitting was perfectly solid.

"Returning to the hotel we found our miracle-working giant sitting serenely on the porch. When I handed him his umbrella he opened it with a quick jerk, disclosing my watch and chain hanging in a slipcase from one of the ribs."

Bural Permits. Thomas Costello, age 9 months, Y. C. K. bur. Miss St. Andrews, Emma Johnson, age 15 years, No. 176 Indiana street, Cascade, Mich.; Albert Anderson, No. 247 Fifth avenue, Greenwood.

Contagious Diseases. Mary Loveland, age 10 years, No. 19 Dudley Place, Ipintra.

Real Estate Transfers. Fred D. Mills and Adell M. Johnson to D. H. Armstrong, lot 14, blk 4, Mily 4, 1,000

Harriet W. M. to M. M. Drake, lot 1, blk 2, Mily 4, 1,000

John R. W. to Henry Welling, and to M. M. Drake, lot 1, blk 2, Mily 4, 1,000

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Reasonable Hack Rates. Ball & Waters are bound to lead in the hack business in this city and have just ordered four new hacks, which will arrive in the city Friday or Saturday. This will make six new hacks and fourteen all told which are being run by the firm. Ball & Waters do not propose to bleed the people of the city and make price \$1.50 for funerals. This is the lowest rate for which hacks were ever offered in the city.

Mrs. Meriwether tonight at Ladies' Literary club. Tickets at door.

A Cure for Cholera. There is no use of any one suffering with the cholera when Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can be procured. It will give relief in a few minutes and cure in a few hours. A few minutes and cure in a few hours. A few minutes and cure in a few hours.

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A few minutes and cure in a few hours. A few minutes and cure in a few hours.

A Cholera Scare. A reported outbreak of cholera at Helena, N. J., created much excitement in that vicinity. Investigation showed that the disease was not cholera, but a violent dysentery, which is almost as severe and dangerous as cholera. Mr. Walter Willard, a prominent merchant of Jamesburg, two miles from Helena, says Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has given great satisfaction in the most severe cases of dysentery. It is certainly one of the best things ever made." For sale by F. J. Wurzburg, druggist.

A Contractor's Advice. Dullman's German Medicine company Gentlemen—I take great pleasure in testifying in behalf of Dullman's Great German Blood, Liver, Stomach and Kidney Cure. I can safely say that I never took such medicine as to cleanse the liver, stomach and kidneys. I was suffering for years with bloatedness, indigestion and loss of appetite and sleep. One bottle did for me more good than six months' other treatment, and I feel my duty to testify in its behalf so others may try it and get cured. Your truly, WARREN E. RUSSELL, Contractor and Builder, Flint, Mich.

A Cure for Rheumatism. Dr. P. A. Skinner of Texarkana, Ark., is an enthusiastic in the praise of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He used it for rheumatism, and says: "I found it to be a most excellent local remedy." For sale by F. J. Wurzburg, druggist.

A Positive Fact. Ladies, do not delay your valuable time by waiting and suffering, but secure a bottle of Dullman's Great German Female Uterine Tonic and be cured of your monthly trouble either in preparation or even if you are pregnant. I ever prescribed in my extensive and practical experience the best results in the greatest number of cases of female troubles of any medicine that I ever used. I do not make a practice of using or recommending patent medicines, but this remedy is prepared by a very competent physician and chemist of my acquaintance and I can cheerfully and conscientiously recommend it as the best.

Too Much of a Risk. It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrh or chronic bronchitis are almost sure to result. A fifty cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for bad colds and croup and can always be depended upon. For sale by F. J. Wurzburg, druggist.

Very Much Surprised. I have been afflicted with neuralgia for nearly two years, have tried physicians and all known remedies, but found no permanent relief until I tried a bottle of Dullman's Great German Lintiment and it gave me instant and permanent relief. 25 cents per bottle. Signed, A. B. SWELL, Hamilton, Mich., April 11, 1921. For sale at D. C. Scribner's drug store.

M. L. Blair, Alderman 5th ward, Scranston, Pa., stated Nov. 9, '23: He had used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for sprains, burns, cuts, bruises and rheumatism. Cured every time.

Bad drainage causes much sickness, and bad blood and improper action of the liver and kidneys is bad drainage to the human system, which Burdock Blood Purifiers remove.

Beware of Frauds.—Be sure you get the genuine Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It cures colds, catarrhs, deafness and rheumatism.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds quicker than any other remedy, because it combines the lung-purifying quality of the pine tree with other valuable medicines. Sold by all dealers on a guarantee of satisfaction.

Stick headaches? Becham's Pills will relieve.

The greatest worm destroyer on earth is Dullman's Great German Worm Lozenges, only 25 cents per box. For sale at D. C. Scribner's drug store.

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Dr. Edison's FAMOUS PILLS AND BANDS and OBESITY FRUIT SALT reduce your weight without dieting; cures the cause of obesity, such as dyspepsia, rheumatism, nervousness, calarrh, kidney troubles; keeps you healthy, and beautifies the complexion.

Chicago Food of Think. I again write you to say I have lost 13 pounds, making 120 pounds in 10 weeks by using 4 bottles of Dr. Edison's Obesity Pills and wearing his Obesity Band.

Very truly yours, GEORGE H. KERR, Prof. H. H. Chicago University, writes to me (Chicago) dated, Feb. 13, 1922.

Consultant men should pay more attention to diet and their weight. I was so much troubled with rheumatism, dyspepsia, kidney troubles and nervousness as the result of weight is shown by the fact that I have cured the disease that caused obesity. The pills soften and beautify the skin as the face, and at the same time cure a case of indigestion. My advice Mr. Arnold with an Edison Obesity Band and 4 bottles of Pills and lost 13 pounds in 10 weeks. Other patients have been equally successful.

Band measure at numbers 1, 2, 2. Price \$2.50 to 3 inches, and 10 cents extra for each additional inch. Three bottles for \$10.00, enough for one treatment.

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Go Away You can't fool me, I want that JOLLY TAR PLUG TOBACCO.

It's the best chewing tobacco for the money and I don't want anything else. I've tried it and know all about it. JOLLY TAR is made by Jno. Tutzler & Bros. Louisville.

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