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W. R. SELICK & CO.—DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

The "GLORIOUS FOURTH."

In order properly to celebrate the day all should make preparations this week. We herewith submit a few articles that are essential.

Light Wash Goods.

In Black, Plain, Plaid, and Stripes, Lawns, Challies, Pongees, and Bedford Cords.

Millinery, Walking Shoes, Fans, and Umbrellas.

In Gents' Wear,

We are showing a large line of Clothing, Hats, White and Outing Shirts, Neckwear, and Shoes.

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A new lot just received, including those with valance in full colorings.

W. R. SELICK & CO.

SPECIAL SALE

OF

PICTURES

Saturday, June 18.

AT THAT TIME PICTURES WILL BE PLACED ON SALE BELOW COST.

Also, Same Day and Same Place,

Baby Carriages

WILL BE SOLD WAY DOWN. THIS WILL BE A RARE CHANCE FOR INTENDING PURCHASERS TO CALL AND SELECT.

FINEST LINE OF

EASELS

IN THE COUNTY AT

E. L. GOODALE'S.

"Goodness Sakes!"

Isn't that a lovely stove!" exclaimed a lady in our store a short time ago, as she paused in front of one of the Michigan Stove Co's latest pattern cook stoves, and proceeded to critically inspect the same. The examination was satisfactory in every particular. It always is. You make no mistake in buying the kind we handle. It's the poor kind you "burn your fingers" with.

The "Quick Meal,"

How about that? Have you one? Not many moons hence ere the kitchen will be sizzling with summer heat, and you will appreciate doubly a latest improved "Quick Meal" Gasoline Stove. We have them now. They sell wonderfully easy; may be gone soon, remember.

We keep Gas Pipe, Steam Fittings for Engines, and all goods in that line.

Fred Bilborrow.

THE TRUE NORTHERNER.

A. C. MARTIN, PUBLISHER.

Largest Circulation in the County.

SUBSCRIPTION, \$1.50 A YEAR.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

M. E. Whalen, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon. Office in Longwell block. Office hours, 2 to 5 p. m., and 6:30 to 8 p. m. 1940ly

Heckert & Chandler,
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78]

W. J. Johnson, V. D., V. S.
All diseases of domesticated animals treated on the latest principles of Veterinary Science. Surgical Operations a Specialty. Calls promptly attended to day or night. Charges moderate. Office at Wolverine Pharmacy, Paw Paw, Mich. [31-ly]

Millinery—Mrs. H. R. Odell.
At the busy millinery store on Kalamazoo street. (Grange store), hosts of elegant Spring and Summer goods of all kinds. Agent for famous Corticelli silks

Absolutely the best place to purchase Monuments is of I. A. Whitman, in Paw Paw. You are guaranteed a large saving on your purchase. No agents' fee. Fifty beautiful Monuments, in Marble and Granite, to select from. 1911-ly

A. W. Hendrick, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw Mich. Office at residence. Special attention given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver and Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and Female Complaints—to all Chronic Diseases.

Paw Paw Savings Bank.
Capital \$50,000.00 F. W. SELICK, Pres., E. A. CRANE Vice Pres., JOHN W. FREE, Cashier. Board of Directors, J. J. WOODMAN, GEO. E. BRECK, JOHN LYLE, WILLIAM LYLE, JOHN W. FREE, W. R. SELICK, F. W. SELICK, WILLIAM J. SELICK, EDGAR A. CRANE. 1888ly
Interest paid on Certificates of Deposit.

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.
Dental Parlors.
Painless extraction of teeth by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas. Single extraction, twenty-five cents. Special attention given to the preservation of the natural teeth. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rooms over Savings Bank, Paw Paw, Mich. 1936ly

Insurance.
Insure your property against loss by fire in the reliable companies represented by the undersigned. Losses will be promptly and equitably adjusted. Life, Fire and Accident policies issued. Office over Broughton's store. 1873lf. WM. KILLEFER.

W. R. Hawkins.
Broker. Money loaned. Office opposite the Dyckman House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1388ly

City Hack and Bus Line.
Orders for private houses should be left at the Post Office. We never miss the train. G. E. BUTLER, Prop. 52lf.

The greatest worm destroyer on earth is Dullam's Great German Worm Lozengers, only 25 cents per box. For sale by Longwell Bros.

Land for Sale.
Forty acres of good land for sale at a reasonable price and easy terms. Inquire of F. W. Selick, Paw Paw Savings Bank. [21lf]

Paw Paw Mills.
We are giving 38 lbs. of our best flour per bushel for good wheat, notwithstanding the reports to the contrary. 1873lf] WISE & TUCKEY.

Teachers' Examinations
The following is the schedule of dates for examinations during the school year: Paw Paw, Thursday, Aug. 4. All examinations begin at 8:30 a. m., and you must be on time. 1903ly E. H. HINCKLEY, Co. Com.

Jas. A. Leech,
Paper Hanging, painting, decorating, &c. I am back to Paw Paw again for business, and my friends know what that means. Leave orders at Dyckman House. [38lf]

Home Livery.
Located 1 block west of Opera House. Good outfits and reasonable prices. 1914lf JOEL G. SAGE.

Albert H. Tuttle,
Attorney & Counsellor at Law; County Drain Commissioner. Special attention given to Collections and Conveyancing. Exchange Bank Building, Hartford, Mich. [1987ly]

Miller, the Fashionable Tailor.
Rooms in Longwell block. Satisfaction guaranteed. Repairing done. 41lf

Pay Your Taxes.
Your corporation taxes must be paid at once. Office over postoffice. L. W. WHITEBECK, Marshal. 45]

Music Lessons.
On piano and organ, at reasonable rates by [45to50] MISS KITTIE FITCH.

MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS.

Over 12 years I was afflicted with a very serious female difficulty, and for the last sixteen months was under treatment of three of the very best physicians that money could employ. Under their skillful treatment I gradually grew worse, until they decided they could render me no permanent help. One of my friends persuaded me to try a bottle of Dullam's Great German Therapeutic Tonic, and after taking three bottles, can say I am in better health than I have been for 20 years and am now 60 years old, but feel as young as at thirty—\$1 a bottle. June 2, 1890. Mrs. TROTT, Tipton, Mich. For sale by Longwell Bros.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PAW PAW.

The oldest and only National Bank in Van Buren County

Capital.....\$100,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits. 20,000
Additional Liability of Stockholders 100,000
E. SMITH, President.
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A general banking business transacted.
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Money to Loan on Real Estate.

MILLS, OSBORN & CAVANAUGH,
Lawyers.

Office over Savings Bank, Paw Paw, Mich. Money to loan on real estate. 27

Lincoln H. Titus.
Attorney and counsellor. Collections made. Office over Abstract Office, Paw Paw, Mich. [1885]

For Sale.
House and 3 lots, three blocks north of post-office. Inquire of ELMER E. DARLING, Salt Lake City, Utah, or M. B. Wilson, Paw Paw. 46lf

For Sale.
Farm of 200 acres adjoining depot grounds, Paw Paw. Buildings all new and first-class. Inquire of ELMER E. DARLING, Salt Lake City, Utah, or M. B. Wilson, Paw Paw. 46lf

Local Department.

Mr. Chas. Rohde spent the Fourth in Chicago.

Hon. Rob't L. Warren of Detroit was in town yesterday.

E. A. Crane of Kalamazoo celebrated the Fourth in Paw Paw.

Ed. and Will. Hawkins of Kalamazoo spent the Fourth in this place.

There will be services in St. Mary's church next Sunday, July 10, at 10 a. m.

M. U. Richardson has been appointed agent for this place for the associated press.

Early Richmond cherries are in the market at \$1.50 to \$2.00 per crate of 16 quarts.

E. L. Moe and John Paige are building a new house—a fine one—for Lewis Roberts.

Mrs. S. J. Conger and daughter of San Francisco are guests of Mrs. O. F. Parker.

Frank Avery spent the Fourth at Battle Creek, a guest of Mrs. Clara Hayden Stevens.

Mrs. A. C. Glidden is enjoying a visit with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Bicknell, of Cedar Springs.

One hundred teachers are in attendance at the Summer Normal now in session in this place.

Frank Van Dyke and wife went to Niles last Saturday for a visit with their sons Albert and Peter.

Advertised letters: Mr. D. Chandler, Mrs. V. M. Cornell, Frank W. Cowley, Mrs. Cushman, Geo. W. Griddon.

Mrs. Anna Barton returned last Thursday from a three weeks' visit at her old home in New York state.

J. C. Dunning and wife of Bay City arrived the latter part of last week and remained in town over the Fourth.

Editor Joiner of the Quincy Herald has been spending a few days in town, the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. L. Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson went to Chicago to spend the Fourth with their daughter Cora at Mrs. Frank Gilbert's.

Little Elizabeth Whitman left on Friday for Toledo where she will spend several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Batchelder.

Miss Nora Dunlap, C. R. Avery's wife, will be home at Holly on the Fourth, but will return in time for the fall trade.

Edson Woodman leaves to-day for New York City to examine Shetland ponies for registration in the Shetland pony stud book.

Mrs. J. W. Free returned from Ann Arbor last Friday. Lynn has gone on a trip around the lakes with a party of fellow students.

W. H. Longwell has been chosen secretary of the Democratic County Committee in place of Bert P. Bryar removed from the county.

Miss Mabel Chaffee arrived home last Thursday from Elk Rapids, from the high school of which place she recently graduated.

Frank Eaton was at home over Sunday, leaving Monday morning for Kalamazoo, to which place he is assigned for duty for the present.

Mrs. A. C. Martin and Miss Lois Wilson leave for the east Friday. They will stop at Detroit for a brief visit with Miss Luella Waring.

The T. & S. H. R. R. run special trains to Lake Cora Monday, and many took advantage of the opportunity to visit this pleasant resort.

John Buck of Saline, David Buck of Benton Harbor, and Frank Buck of Dowagiac, with their wives, came to attend the funeral of Percy Buck.

H. W. McCabe's new residence on the corner of LaGrave and Paw Paw streets is rapidly nearing completion, and will be the finest in that part of town.

Farmers are bitterly complaining of a new pest—a species of weevil which is said to be destroying the clover blossoms; so that no seed can be raised.

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Dunning will leave for the east next Monday. The doctor will return in two or three weeks, but Mrs. D. will remain for a longer period.

Mr. L. S. Rector of Chicago spent Sunday in town, returning Monday morning with his wife, who had been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. E. B. Dunning.

We note that our exchanges from all parts of the state take kindly to the candidacy of Prof. E. A. Wilson of this place for membership of the state board of education.

Elmer Wildey has purchased about 60,000 lbs. of wool at this place and about 13,000 lbs. at Lawrence. The clip is about all marketed.

A special corporation election will be held on Monday next, July 11th, to elect a trustee to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of L. C. Hurd.

There will be a Union caucus at the council rooms at 7:30 this evening for the purpose of nominating a candidate for trustee in the place of L. C. Hurd, resigned.

The Paw Paw male quartet—Messrs. Butler, Reynolds, Gilman and Cummings—will sing at the Grand Army Camp-Fire at Longwell's opera house to-morrow evening.

Mr. Andrew Clark and Mrs. Catherine Jorgensen were united in marriage on Thursday evening of last week by Rev. Edward Warren, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

F. L. Osborne terminated his visit home on Monday and was accompanied as far as Chicago by his little sister Bessie, who will make a short visit with friends in the World's Fair city.

Farmers are having a hard time of it trying to secure their clover hay crop. The weather has been so "catchy" that but little is cut at a time, and that little is secured in rather poor condition.

Dr. J. D. Hamilton and Guy F. Harrison last Thursday rode their wheels from this village to Kalamazoo, a distance of eighteen miles, in one hour and fifty minutes. Pretty fair "cycling."

Mrs. W. J. Hathaway, accompanied by the children, drove over from Vicksburg last Wednesday and visited with friends here until Saturday. Miss Jennie Whitmer accompanied them home.

The Bloomingdale Leader now measures its type by the rod, and the Decatur Republican will have to come off its "leading paper of the county" perch, or else use a rubber tape line in measuring its plates.

Roe Parker and Frank Butts, two of the Covert robbers, were before Justice Mason last Thursday for examination. The testimony on part of the People was taken and the examination adjourned to Friday next.

Mrs. C. L. Eaton Saturday attended the reunion of her (Joiner) family, at Mattawan, at which were present all the surviving children—two brothers and five sisters. Next year the reunion will be at the home of J. C. Joiner at Quincy.

Gilbert Sweet of Decatur was before Justice Mason last Wednesday charged with violating the local option law. Respondent waived examination and entered into bonds of \$300 for his appearance at the September term of the circuit court.

Mr. James S. Fassett of Keeler, in renewing his subscription to this journal for the 21st year, says he thinks he ought to have a government office or a chromo. He also has some pleasant words for the paper which our modesty compels us to omit.

Grand Army men and others will not forget the Camp-Fire to be lighted at Longwell's opera house to-morrow evening. Department Commander Dean and staff will arrive here at 3 p. m. A good time is confidently looked for and all are invited to enjoy it.

Last week, in noting the visit of H. C. Freese of Sioux Falls to this place, we spoke of his being the guest of Chas. M. Rohde, "his former partner." The item would have been correct but for the word "former." The gentlemen are still business partners.

There will be morning and evening services in the Free Baptist church as usual on Sunday next. Covenant meeting will be held on Saturday at two p. m., after which the children will be drilled for the exercises of Children's Day, which will soon take place.

It looks strange to see in a summary of a trotting race the word "dis," after the name of "Wilkes," but we note two at the recent Dowagiac meeting—John Wilkes in the 2:38 class, and Midget Wilkes in the 3-minute class; also one—Prince Wilkes—in the 2:35 class at Kalamazoo last Friday.

Geo. E. Breck has charge of the "literary bureau" in the interest of certain candidates, and is flooding the county with letters telling the people what, in his opinion, they should do in the selection of candidates for office. Breck as a political leader ought to prove a howling success—a mascot!

We commend to the careful perusal of our readers an article found elsewhere in this paper, headed "Question of Roads," which we reproduce from the Niles Republican. The matter of improving the highways of the country is of vital importance and should receive the most careful consideration of our law-makers.

The township board has given a contract to the Wheaton Bridge Co., Chicago, for two iron bridges to be thrown across the race at Kalamazoo street and the river at North street. This will make our equipment of bridges complete, with five iron structures inside the corporation. Work on the two bridges named will be commenced at once and crowded to an early completion.

The Fourth of July this year was no exception to the general rule, and information comes from all points of the compass of fingers and hands being blown off by mammoth crackers, and the usual number of fatal accidents incident to the screaming of the eagle. In our immediate vicinity, however, no serious accidents happened that we have knowledge of.

For the loss of a six-weeks-old colt, killed by lightning a few days since, T. R. Harrison declined the proffer of \$75 made by the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company of Van Buren County in adjustment thereof, claiming the colt to have been worth from \$300 to \$400. An offer of the company to submit the matter to arbitration was also declined, and the Board of Directors which met last Friday to adjust this loss adjourned without accomplishing anything.

We regret to learn that our friend J. O. Becraft, postmaster at Dowagiac and one of the editors of the Republican of that city, is in a very unsatisfactory condition as regards his health.

Next morning after the Democratic ticket was made at Chicago, a group of local Demos were discussing it, when some one asked "Who is this man Stevenson?" "Why," says Sir Oracle, "he is the man who organized the first Grand Army Post in the United States, at Decatur, Illinois." And now the Democrats all over the country are kicking themselves for saying a word about the "war record" of their self-styled general. As a "soldier stopper" Adlai will not prove a howling success.

A large hay and grain barn, a fine horse barn, a granary, and other out-buildings and sheds on the farm of Eli Babcock in Waverly township were struck by lightning and burned to the ground last Friday night, together with their contents, which included three horses belonging to a man named Price, the lessee of the farm, who, we understand, is insured in the Mutual of Van Buren county. Mr. Babcock is insured for \$600 in the Cass County Mutual. His loss will approximate \$1,000.

Last Saturday evening about thirty of the friends of Judge and Mrs. Heckert dropped in for a visit with them and took the occasion to leave quite a number of nice presents for their little adopted daughter, not forgetting "Papa and Mama Heckert," who received a rattle box. A pleasant hour was spent and it is safe to say that the child's heart was made all the lighter for the visit. "Inasmuch as ye have done it for one of these least of mine, ye have done it unto me," is the reward for all such acts of kindness.

Crystal Springs camp-meeting will begin August 5th and last ten days. Bishop Bowman, Chaplain McCabe and other distinguished ministers will be in attendance. The evangelistic services will be under the special direction of Potter and Miller of Chicago. This encampment has already over \$20,000 invested in cottages and improvements. The great tabernacle is 150x125 feet, capable of seating 4,000 people. They have also a good system of water works extending to all parts of the grounds, furnishing the best of spring water. A number of beautiful cottages are being built this season.

The local political cauldron in Kalamazoo county already begins to boil quite lively. This is particularly true with regard to the friendly struggle for the nomination for the offices of sheriff and county treasurer, for each of which several candidates are already named. Among those prominently mentioned for the sheriavalty we note the name of Mr. Frank Rawson, for several years superintendent of the Asylum "Brook" farm. Mr. Rawson was reared in Paw Paw; is well and favorably known of our people; comes from stalwart Republican stock; has an unblemished reputation, and would honor the county in case of his selection for this important office.

The Courier in its last issue boasts that within an hour after Cleveland's nomination the local Democrats had a Cleveland steamer floating from their pole, and that it took the Republicans two weeks after Harrison's nomination to display their colors, attempting to leave the impression that Harrison's nomination created no enthusiasm in the Republican ranks. This is but another instance of a how small a circumference it takes to cheer the hopes of the unreasoning and inexperienced local Democratic politicians. They fail to comprehend the significance of Grover's not getting a single vote from his own state in the convention at which he was nominated, while Gen. Harrison was solidly supported by the delegation from his state. The capture of the Courier necessarily limits it to noticing trifles. The analysis of the signs on the political sky and the conclusions to be deduced from them, is beyond its ken. When the billows of ballots for Harrison roll over the country in November, the Courier and the little coterie influenced by it will understand what the lull before the battle means. Democrats have had so little to do with battles that it is not to be wondered at that they cannot divine its significance. The logic of accomplished facts is the only thing that convinces the zealous but unsophisticated yelpers for the stuffed prophet.

Marriage Licenses.

1302—Chas. F. Armstrong, 28, of Kalamazoo, and Matie F. Spicer, 19, of So. Haven.
1303—Charles G. Smith, 22, of Grand Junction, and Nellie Deming, 16, of Laota.
1304—John S. Hughes, 27, and Maude E. Nesbitt, 22, both of Decatur.
1305—Andrew M. Clark, 40, of Alma, and Catherine E. Jorgensen, 46, of Greenville.
1306—Sylvester Spencer, 27, and Mamie Long, 23, both of Bangor.
1307—Charles M. Thompson, 30, and Blanche High, 18, both of Hartford.
1308—Levi A. Cass, 29, of Bloomingdale, and Dell Chadwick, 24, of Decatur.
1309—Jay Bradley, 22, of Cadillac, and Nettie Jones, 20, of Gobeleville.

Business Brevities.

Sheetings in all widths for sheets and pillow cases, bleached and unbleached, are constantly carried in stock at Sellick's.
Farmers and others will find a good stock of lubricating oils at the Wolverine Pharmacy. Prices right.
The Leaders continue their great shoe sale for still another week, and they offer great inducements to buyers.

Republican Caucus.

The Republicans of Paw Paw township will meet in caucus at the court house on Saturday evening, July 9th, at 7:30 o'clock, to choose a delegation to the Republican county convention to be held at Lawrence on the 14th inst. By order, REPUBLICAN TP COM. July 8th, 1892.