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Correspondence Department.

Corwin.
Mort. Bullard is quite seriously ill.
Mrs. Frank Tuttle is on the sick list.
Mrs. Roll Harris is suffering from muscular rheumatism.
Clair McAlpine is having his house raised higher and otherwise repaired.
A little boy of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Van Orman died on Thursday last, at the home of her father, N. McIntyre.
Mrs. Calvin came from Hartford last Thursday to see her son John, before he leaves for the state of Washington. He expects to start soon in company with Frank Fisher and others.
The most complete surprise of the season was sprung on Mrs. Cora Corey on Wednesday of last week. Two of the L. M. A. ladies made appointment to spend the afternoon at her house. They went and with them twenty other ladies, members of the society, each one with a basket of eatables. After the company had taken possession of the house, Mrs. Corey's attention was called in the kitchen, while a lovely plush couch was being deposited in the parlor. When she was taken in and introduced to her new furniture, she could only say, "I thank you all." A literary program and visiting took up the afternoon, after which an elegant repast was served.

Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleaning, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

Waverly.

Lennie Simmons is home from Kalamazoo.
Mr. Martz has moved into the Moore house in Glendale.
The funeral of Jesse A. Olmstead was held at Glendale, Tuesday.
Anna Dillon has been re-engaged at Glendale for the coming year as teacher.
John Burdick and family are nicely settled in their new home near Gobleville.
Amelia Dillon has been engaged to teach the Brummel school the coming year.
Fred Dibble of Paw Paw was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Fred Gay, last Sunday.
Mrs. Dick Clark of Pine Grove was the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. Stevens, last week.
The A. C. F. social given at Ralph Jennings' last Tuesday evening was well attended, over eighty being present.
Mr. Lockman received the sad news of the death of a daughter, Mrs. Kennedy of Kendall's. She was buried Monday.
Nine candidates were initiated in the fourth degree, after which the grange served a harvest supper, at Waverly grange Saturday evening.

J. D. Bridge, editor and proprietor of the Democrat, Lancaster, N. H., says: "I would not be without One Minute Cough cure for my boy, when troubled with a cough or cold. It is the best remedy for croup I ever used." E. B. Longwell.

Decatur.

I. A. Dewey was in Dowagiac last week.
D. W. Broadhead of Pearle was in Decatur, Saturday.
John Huff of Niles was in town on business last week.
Roe, P. Warner of Chicago is spending a week in Decatur.
Frank Harris is having his blacksmith shop newly painted.
Messrs. Harry and Ed. Snow were in Decatur last Thursday.
Bert Culverhouse and Ford Hakes were in Lawton, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart are entertaining relatives this week.
Floyd Russell and Jess Munger of Marcellus were in the village last Saturday.
Mrs. Geo. Smith of Edwardsburg is visiting Decatur relatives and friends this week.
The German Medicine company gave their last entertainment Saturday evening and left the village, Monday.

Messrs. Richard Huyck and Claire White and Miss Beulah Weeks of the University of Michigan are spending their spring vacation in this village.
Supt. W. V. Sage has been appointed one of the board to examine candidates for West Point Military academy. The examination takes place at Niles, May 2.
The Decatur lodge, Knights of Pythias, is making arrangements for an entertainment for members of the lodge and their ladies, to be held Thursday evening, May 2.
R. A. Secord of this village and Miss Lillian Reams of Battle Creek were united in marriage by Rev. C. D. Paige of this village, at Battle Creek last Wednesday morning. They came to Decatur on the afternoon train. Mr. and Mrs. Secord will make their home in this village.

Pneumonia, la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping-cough readily yield to One Minute Cough Cure. Use this remedy in time and save a doctor's bill—or the undertaker's. E. B. Longwell.

Lawrence.

Dr. Bope was in Kalamazoo last week on business.
O. W. Rowland, of Paw Paw was in town Sunday.
Rev. C. A. Salyer will move to Hartford this week.
Mr. Cady went to Chicago Monday, to buy new goods.
Mrs. Lee Paul is visiting friends in Benton Harbor.
Allen Wiggins and family have moved to Benton Harbor.
There were a number of men drunk on our streets last Saturday.
Clarence Hulbert, of Lansing visited friends here last week.
Miss Blanche Moffett had her millinery opening last Saturday afternoon.
Miss Lizzie Lofts spent Saturday in Hartford with Miss Bertha Meachum.

Miss Myrtle O'Dell of Paw Paw, spent Saturday in town with her brother Burt.
Union young people's meeting last Sunday at the M. E. Church, led by Mr. Cobb.
G. F. Taylor pleasantly entertained his Sunday school class one evening last week.
Mr. Pritchard, who has been ill for some time, is able to be on the streets again.
Dr. Crowell went to Chicago Monday morning to be gone two weeks. He will attend school while there.
Miss Maie Clark, the primary teacher here, will teach in Hartford next year. Miss Knapp of Lawton has been engaged to teach here.

A select dancing party was given to the Everette boys at the opera house last Monday evening. The boys with their mother and sisters have moved to Traverse City.
Mr. Hale Rich Weaver of Grand Island, Nebraska, and Miss Ada Hale Burkhead of Charlotte, Mich. united their fortunes for life at high noon, Wednesday, April 12, at the home of the bride's parents. The father of the bride, Prof. S. G. Burkhead, was the first principal of the Lawrence school, and his wife was preceptress.

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild. Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwell, Valley Street, Saugerties, N. Y.

Gobleville.

Joe Alway has moved his family to Kalamazoo.
Mrs. Finch has moved into her house just vacated by Mrs. Alway.
W. B. Teman has contracted to build a house for Mr. Schermerhorn.
Much interest is being manifest at the revival meetings at the M. E. church.
Two arrests last week for riding bikes on the sidewalks; better look a little out boys.
Several new pumps have been put into the cisterns on the streets, to use in case of fires.
R. G. Myers and wife and Melvin of Kalamazoo were visiting his mother here Sunday.
E. W. Myers and daughter Leatha of Lacota were in town Saturday and Sunday.

Floyd Whelpley is reshingling his father's blacksmith shop on east Exchange street.
Mr. Babbitt, the foreman of the canning factory, has moved into Mr. B. M. Myers' house.
Mr. and Mrs. Lang and two daughters of Lawrence were visiting at Allie Barton's over Sunday.

James Loveland's saw mill burned to the ground Thursday afternoon. It was a total loss of about \$3,000 with no insurance. It is not known how it caught as Mr. L. had closed down on account of so heavy wind and fearing fire.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

Mattawan.

C. M. Harvey intends to move to Toledo.
Mrs. Hill is making some repairs on her house.
Mrs. Davis and mother, after an absence of three months, have returned to their home.
James McGee of Kalamazoo college will give a lecture on "Probes and Probers," Friday evening, April 28, for the benefit of the Y. P. S. C. E. Tickets, 10 cents.
At the missionary meeting at Ed. Wright's last week, sixty-eight took tea. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Harrison Glidden's, the second Thursday in May.

Don't think you can cure that slight attack of Dyspepsia by dieting, or that it will cure itself. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will cure it; it "digests what you eat" and restores the digestive organs to health. E. B. Longwell.

Keeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Olmstead lost a child by death last week.
Nelson Decker of Sister Lakes fell from a wagon, severely injuring one of his shoulders.
Joseph Conklin has purchased of Matt. Keith the old Keith homestead of one hundred acres.
Frank Fisher has moved his family from the Suttler farm to the Slayton house, north of the village.
Don Taylor was not hurt so badly as at first reported. He carries a sore head and lame ribs, but no bones were broken.
Mrs. Harm. Deffendorf and Mrs. Noble Thomas of Dowagiac were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Sykes the last of the week.

West Lawrence.

Henry Bigelow has a sister visiting him from South Haven.
Martin Cavanaugh, now of Chicago, was calling on old friends here Saturday.
Miss Hazel Vandecar of Breedsville has been spending a week with relatives in this place.
We are informed by our fellow townsman, Fred Simpson, that Capt. Wendell Simpson of the regular army has been ordered with his company to the Philippines.

The house, barn and out buildings with contents, on the farm 2 1/2 miles north-east of Hartford, belonging to Edward Doyle, were burned Monday afternoon, together with the barn and smaller buildings of Lewis Lightner, who lives directly opposite. Mr. Doyle was working in a back field and only had time to get to the house and save one dresser, some silverware and his pocket book containing \$80. Everything else was swept away, including eleven head of hogs, a good young horse, and nearly 600 bushels of wheat. There were three head of young cattle burnt in Mr. Lightner's barn besides contents of barn, granary and cribs. The cause of the fire is unknown, it being first discovered in Mr. Doyle's barn, and a strong wind soon spread the flames. Both parties are insured, but the loss will far exceed the insurance.

By allowing the accumulation in the bowels to remain, the entire system is poisoned. DeWitt's Little Early Risers regulate the bowels. Try them and you will always use them. E. B. Longwell.

County and State.

Allegan county has 12 butter and cheese factories.

The home of Editor Dean of South Haven was damaged \$500 by fire last Thursday.

A Dowagiac young man sat down the other day and wrote two letters, but in addressing them got them mixed. The result was a shirt manufactory in Grand Rapids got a polite invitation to the Sousa concert, while the girl was made frantic by receiving the following: "Please send me a sample of the stuff your shirts are made of."—Times.

Peach growers are getting more hopeful. The trees which looked very badly a month ago are putting on a far more healthful look, the wood is losing some of the dark color which frightened them so much at first, and live buds on many of the varieties are plentiful. Some say they will have to thin their peaches, but a large crop is not looked for by most growers.—Messenger.

Eight or ten cars of freight of a through train on the Michigan Central, were wrecked near Oshtemo Sunday morning and considerably demolished. Among them was a car of windmills and about half that many steel towers being shipped by the Phelps & Bigelow company to Minneapolis. Some of them were badly damaged. A carload of buggies from the Michigan Buggy company also fared badly. The exact cause of the wreck is not known, but it is supposed the train either broke in two and the rear section ran into the forward section, or an axle broke, letting one of the cars down on the rail and causing the others to pile up.—Kalamazoo News.

For the first time in some years the Bangor schools are to undergo almost a complete change in the corps of instructors, and all teachers have decided to quit with the exception of Edson Root and Mrs. R. M. VanDuzer. The reason for so doing is the fact that the board has decided to reduce wages all along the line, believing that the first step to be taken in reducing the school tax is to commence with those who get the biggest bundle of it. Whether this is a wise move or not remains to be seen, but there is no doubt that competent teachers can be secured at the money offered. Prof. Penoyer has about concluded to retire from teaching and is to take up the study of medicine, intending to go to the Michigan university. What the other old teachers will do we have not learned, neither has the board yet decided whom they will hire.—Advance.

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Embroideries 1c and up.
Lace Trimmings 4c doz. yd's up.
Pillow Case Lace 1c yard and up.
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Mince Meat 5c package.
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Hemmed Handkerchiefs 1c up
Large line Stand. Dress Prints 4c
Tennis Flannels 4c.
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